

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, October 19, 1921.

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due and Full Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the following organization.

Eminent Sir	Frederick H Briggs	Commander
Sir Knight	George T Wiley	Generalissimo
Sir Knight	Frank O. Clark	Capt. General
Sir Knight	Charles L Hamilton	Senior Warden
Sir Knight	William P. Bullard	Junior Warden
Sir Knight	Herbert A Rhoades	Treasurer
Sir Knight	Joseph W Work	Recorder
Eminent Sir	Walter B. Tripp	Prelate
Sir Knight	Warren B. Ellis	Prelate Emeritus
Eminent Sir	Charles W Howard	Associate Prelate
Sir Knight	Clarence J. McKenzie	Standard Bearer
Sir Knight	Edgar F Hunt	Emer. Standard Bearer
Sir Knight	Elmer G. Page	Sword Bearer
Sir Knight	Robert G. Wilson	Warder
Sir Knight	Charles B Wood	Commissary
Sir Knight	Albert B. Hall	Quartermaster
Sir Knight	George L. H. Stevenson	Beausant Bearer
Sir Knight	Arthur M Blades	National Color Br.
Sir Knight	Richard Ray Jr	State Color Bearer
Sir Knight	Josiah T Dyer	Armorer
Sir Knight	Edward F Jacobs	Sentinel
Sir Knight	Thomas M. Carter	Musical Director
Sir Knight	Eben H. Bailey	Organist
Sir Knight	John W. Knowles	Orderly
Sir Knight	Arthur N. Hale	Adjutant

and Guards

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications being favorable, and upon ballot, the same being clear were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Edwin Isaac Abbot
Comp. Henry White Brant
Comp. Walter Russell Doliver
Comp. Folliard Francis Gillmore
Comp. Henry Eldon Prescott
Comp. Karl Cushing Stephens
Comp. Arlington E. Burns
Comp. Alexander MacAllister Cunningham
Comp. Kenneth MacKillop
Comp. Melville Lambert Hughes
Comp. Arthur Norman Burnham

The Commander announced the following deaths

Sir Knight John W. Brackett	September 1921
Sir Knight William F. Johnson	September 1921
Sir Knight Edward G. Ranney	September 1921

Voted to extend the thanks of the Commandery to Mr. John R. Gillespie of Sharon, Mass., for his very cordial and hearty manner which he extended to Boston Commandery on the day of the Barbecue Wednesday, October 12.

Visitors

The Commander ordered the Adjutant to proceed to the ante room as escort to the Generalissimo and to introduce Eminent Sir Daniel A. Lunt, Commander of Newburyport Commandery No. 3. Also Sir Knight H. Corcell Staples, Generalissimo of De Moley Commandery, and Eminent Sir William R. Milton of De Molay Commandery who brought the Knightly Greetings to Boston Commandery from Most Eminent Sir Joseph Kyle Orr, Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of the U. S.

Installation of the Prelate

Eminent Sir Walter Bradley Tripp who was elected Prelate at the last Annual Conclave was installed into office by Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs, and received cordially.

The Generalissimo was appointed a Committee to introduce Eminent Sir Charles J. Corwin, Eminent Commander of De Molay Commandery who was introduced to the Commandery and received a hearty Knightly Greeting.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall.

Business

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:55 P.M.

The following petitions were read.

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Comp. Charles Edward Folsom
Residence 19 Cohasset Street, Roslindale, Mass.
Occupation Insurance and real Estate
Place of business 719 South street, Roslindale, Mass
Member of West Roxbury Lodge and Dorchester R. A. Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Havey and Eben Riggs

Comp. Frederick Albert Hutchins
Residence 38 Pinehurst st, Roslindale, Mass
Occupation Superintendent
Place of business 614 Atlantic Ave Boston, Mass,
Member of West Roxbury Lodge and Dorchester R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Havey and Eben Riggs

Comp. Herbert Smith Evans
Residence 81 Bowers Ave Malden, Mass.
Occupation Assistant Manager
Place of business Pier 2, Lewis Wharf, Boston, Mass.
Member of Winslow Lewis Lodge and St John Dalmuir Chapter
317, Scotland

Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B. Bradbury, L. Curtis
Comp. Edison Alva Johnson Turner
Residence 47 Loring Road, Winthrop, Mass.
Occupation Sales Manager
Place of business 131 State street Boston, Mass.
Member of Amicable Lodge, Cambridge, and Winthrop R A
Chapter of Winthrop, Mass.
Recommended by Sir Knights Amos W Crooks, Benj. A Healey
Comp. Earl Mountain Thomas
Residence 397 Highland Ave Wollaston, Mass
Occupation Asst. Actuary
Place of business 120 Franklin st Boston, Mass
Member of St. Johns Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Liverus H. Howe and Em. Sir
Frederick H. Briggs.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery and opened a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and announced that Sir Knights George T. Wiley, Generalissimo would conduct the ceremonies, and he was ably assisted by Eminent Sir George U. Bauer, Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Captain General, Sir Knight H. Corcell Staples, Generalissimo of De Molay Commandery, Eminent Sir William R. Milton, Past Commander of De Molay Commandery and Eminent Sir Charles W. Howard Past Commander of Boston Commandery, and the following Companions were received

Comp. Frederick Newton Fowler
Comp. Harold Earle Wells
Comp. Edward Isaac Abbot
Comp. Henry White Brant
Comp. Walter Russell Doliver
Comp. Folliard Francis Gillmore
Comp. Henry Eldon Prescott

Comp. Arlington E Burns
Comp. Alexander MacAllister Cunningham
Comp. Kenneth MacKillop
Comp. Melville Lambert Hughes
Comp. Arthur Norman Burnham

and they were created and institutes Companions of the Ill
Order of the Red Cross.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Order of the Red Cross was closed
and a priory of the Order of Malta was opened for the purpose
of conferring the Order of Malta upon the above named Companions
also upon Companion Frederick H. Williams by request of the
Lansing Commandery #25 of Lansing, Michigan, through the
Grand Commander of Michigan and requested from the Grand
Commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island to Boston
Commandery.

The business of the priory having been finished it was
closed at 10:25 P. M.

The Commandery then resumed the business and there
being no further business it was closed without Form at
10:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall Masonic Temple

Boston, Mass., Nov. 16, 1921.

STATED CONCLAVE

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due and Full Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Reports

The reports of the Committees upon the following applications being favorable, and upon ballot, the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Frederick Albert Hutchins
Comp. Edison Alva Johnson

For Membership

The Committees report upon the application for membership of Sir Knight Frederick Franklin Sproat being favorable, upon ballot he was elected a member of Boston Commandery.

Rejection

The Committee report on the application of Companion Charles Edward Folsom being a majority unfavorable, upon ballot he was rejected.

Petitions read.

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach
Residence 985 Boylston st Newton Hldgs
Occupation Clerk
Place of business 44 State st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter, Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold M. Sawyer and Frank O Clark

Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach Jr
Residence 985 Boylston st Newton Hldgs
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 985 Boylston st Newton Hldgs
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter, Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold M. Sawyer & Frank O Clark.

Comp. Edward Stevens Childs
Residence 323 Mass Ave Lexington
Occupation Wholesale Provisions
Place of business 57 North Market st Boston
Member of Massachusetts Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George E Bridgham and Edward N West

Comp. Robert Campbell
Residence 5 Waldeck Rd Milton
Occupation Asst Treasurer
Place of business 200 Summer st Boston
Member of Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard and Frank B Eastman

Comp. Percy Allen Goodale
Residence 55 Falmouth Rd Arlington
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 92 Water st Boston
Member of Hiram Lodge and Menotomy R A Chapter of Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard and Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. William Arthur Humphreys
Residence 141 Sutherland Rd Brighton
Occupation Provision Salesman
Place of business 57 North Market st Boston
Member of Massachusetts Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George E Bridgham and Edward N. West

Comp. Louis Mason La Rhette
Residence 146 Massachusetts Ave Boston
Occupation Nurse & Masseur
Place of business 146 Mass Ave Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Guy C Willis and Harold W Martin

Comp. Horace Marsh Stevens
Residence 110 Massachusetts Ave Cambridge
Occupation Asst Traffic Mgr N E T & T Co
Place of business 119 Milk st Boston Mass
Member of Lafayette Lodge of New Hampshire and Mt Horeb R A Chapter of New Hampshire
Recommended by Sir Knights George L Sibley and R. Frank Kendrick

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Fred Hayes Leavitt
Membership June 18, 1890. Died Oct 29, 1921

Sir Knight Charles A. Stewart
Membership June 17, 1914. Died Nov. 8, 1921

Sir Knight Jacob Karcher Jr
Membership Dec 19, 1894. Died June 1921

Sir Knight Hamilcar Rice
 Membership Oct 21, 1857. Died Feb 29, 1920

Sir Knight Rosewell B. Lawrence
 June 16, 1880. Died Nov. 21, 1921

The Commander requested the Generalissimo with the proper escort to repair to the ante room and introduce the guests in waiting, and the following were introduced to the Commander and were received cordially by the Commandery.

Em. Sir Charles E Hull Past Commander of St Omar Commandery and Division Commander of the Fourth Division of the Commandery. Em Sir Daniel A Lunt Commaander of Newburyport Commandery, Newburyport, Mass. Em. Sir Charles J. Corwin, Commander of De Molay Commandery, Boston Em Sir John E Whitehead, Commander of Quincy Commandery, Quincy, Mass. Sir Knight H. Corcell Staples, Generalissimo of De Molay Commandery and Sir Knight Theodore R. Lockwood, Captain General of De Molay Commandery.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was waiting and the lines were formed and the Commander, officers and guests marched to the banquet hall.

Work

The Commandery resumed business at 7:45 o'clock P. M. and the following Companions were received.

Comp. Edward Isaac Abbot
 Comp. Henry White Brant
 Comp. Walter Russell Dooliver
 Comp. Folliard Francis Gilmore
 Comp. Henry Eldon Prescott
 Comp. Arlington E Burns
 Comp. Alexander MacAllister Cunningham
 Comp. Kenneth MacKillop
 Comp. Melville Lambert Hughes
 Comp Arthur Norman Burnham
 Comp. Frederick Newton Fowler
 Comp. Harold Earl Wells
 Comp Howard T. Child

Also by request of De Molay Commandery the following Companions were Knighted.

Comp. Ralph Herman Hosmer
 Comp. James William Hearsey
 Comp. Frank Herbert Kirsch

By request of the Grand Commandery of Michigan through the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island for Lansing Commandery #25, Lansing, Michigan, Companion Frederick Horace Williams, and they were all dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of

the Temple, Knight Templars, after which the first thirteen signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery, and they received their diplomas.

For Membership

Sir Knight Frederick H Williams
Residence 15 Evans Rd Brookline Mass
Occupation Physician
Place of business 236 Clarendon st Boston
Member of Lansing Commandery #25 Lansing Michigan
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P. Small and Joseph W Work

The Commander was ably assisted in conferring the Order of the Temple by Generalissimo Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Em. Sir Charles J Corwin, Sir Knight H Corcell Staples of De Molay Commandery, Em. Sir Charles E Hull of St Omar Commandery and Em Sir Daniel A Lunt of Newburyport Commandery and Em Sir John H Whitehead of Quincy Commandery and Sir Knight Frank O. Clark of Boston Commandery.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 10:25 P. M.

A true Record

Attest

Joseph W Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

December 21, 1921. Wednesday

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 3:30 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications being favorable, and upon ballot the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Herbert Smith Evans
Comp. Percy Allan Goodale
Comp. William Arthur Humphrey
Comp. Louis Mason LaRhette
Comp. Horace Marsh Stevens
Comp. Karl Cushing Stephens

For Membership

Sir Knight Frederick H. Williams

Death

The Eminent Commander announced the death of
Eminent Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson

Memorial Committee

The Eminent Commander appointed the following Eminent Sir Knights as a Committee to prepare and present a Memorial to Eminent Sir Rinaldo B. Richardson.

Em. Sir Frederick T. Comee
Em. Sir Eugene A. Holton
Em. Sir Leonard B. Nichols

Ill. Order of the Red Cross

Business was suspended and a Council of the Ill. Order of the Red Cross opened under the direction of the Generalissimo Sir Knight George T. Wiley.

The following Companions were then introduced.

Comp. Frederick Albert Hutchins
Comp. Edison Alva Johnson
Comp. George Henry Wood
Comp. Herbert Smith Evans
Comp. Percy Allan Goodale
Comp. Louis Mason LaRhette
Comp. Horace Marsh Stevens
Comp. Karl Cushing Stephens

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having finished its business, a priory of the Order of the Malta was opened and the above named Companions were introduced and received the Order of Malta which was under the direction of the Captain General Sir Knight Frank O. Clark.

Dinner

At 6 o'clock P. M. the Eminent Commander announced that a dinner was in waiting, and the lines were formed and the officers, guests and Sir Knights marched to the banquet hall.

Petitions

The Commandery resumed business at 7:30 P. M., and the following petitions were read.

Comp. Clarence W. Bell
Residence 3 Commonwealth Terrace, Allston
Occupation Shoe Manufacturer
Place of business 143 Lincoln st Boston
Member of Revere Lodge and St. Andrews R. A. Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G. Wilson & Robert A Wallis

Comp. Donald Vinton Baker
Residence 1924 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Surgeon
Place of business 120 Milk st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge and St Paul R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Edward F. Jacobs & Frank O. Clark

Comp. Rayworth Burnham
Residence 218 Eliot st Boston
Occupation Manager
Place of business 218 Eliot st Boston
Member of Morning Star Lodge and Eureka R A Chapter Worcester
Recommended by Sir Knights Oscar F. Stone & D. Henry Childs

Comp. Fred Raymond Bowman
Residence 8 Cumberland st Boston
Occupation Physician
Place of business 8 Cumberland st Boston
Member of Columbian Lodge and St. Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George F. Miller & E. R. Thayer

Comp. Charles Francis Crocker
 Residence 11 Williams st Somerville
 Occupation Grocer
 Place of business Davis Square Somerville ville
 Member of John Abbot Lodge and Somerville R A Chapter Somer-
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse and Charles L. Higgins

Comp. William Alexander Coakley
 Residence 81 Appleton st Arlington
 Occupation Plumbing and Heating
 Place of business 81 Appleton st Arlington Arlington
 Member of Mt. Carmel Lodge of Lynn & Menotomy R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Hadley & Elmer G. Page

Comp. Edward Cola Chase
 Residence 8 Cumberland st Boston
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 47 Franklin st Boston
 Member of Beth-horen Brookline, & St. Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sir George U Bauer & Sir Knight Dennie P
 Small

Comp. Alvah H. Clark
 Residence 31 South St Brighton
 Occupation Department Manager Buyer
 Place of business 33 Summer st Boston
 Member of Dorchester Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Sydney Read David
 Residence 381 Clinton Rd Brookline
 Occupation Dye Stuffs
 Place of business 252 Congress st Boston
 Member of Beth-horen, Brookline, & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Ralph Edward Davis
 Residence 166 Naples Rd Brookline
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 712 Beacon st Boston
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights George A. Hagodorn & Em Sir
 Frederick H. Briggs

Comp. Vernon Lorenzo Greene
 Residence 133 Peterboro st Boston
 Occupation School Teacher
 Place of business 100 Beacon st Boston
 Member of Faith Lodge & Signet R A Chapter Charlestown
 Recommended by Sir Knights George P. Page & Elmer G Page

Comp. William Harry Gullifer
Residence 125 Pine st Belmont Mass
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 80 Boylston st Boston
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights George A Hagodorn & Em Sir
Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Andrew Church Littlefield
Residence 68 Dakota st Dorchester
Occupation Traveling salesman
Place of business 274 Summer st Boston
Member of Oriental Lodge Edgartown & St Pauls R A Chapter
Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank O Clark & Stephen Weiler

Comp. Owen Douglas McLellan
Residence 42 Trapello Rd Belmont
Occupation Building Contractor
Place of business 42 Trapello Rd Belmont
Member of Belmont Lodge and Belmont R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Elmer G Page & Joseph E Goodbar

Comp. Louis Frederick Miller
Residence 7 Cragie st Somerville
Occupation Wood carver
Place of business 20 Otis st East Cambridge
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Charles L Higgins

Comp. Harry Miller
Residence 70 Craigie st Somerville
Occupation Machine carver
Place of business 20 Otis st East Cambridge
Member of John Abbott Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Charles L Higgins

Comp. Walter Ralph Mansfield
Residence 8 Cumberland st Boston
Occupation Physician
Place of business 8 Cumberland st Boston
Member of Aberdour Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Conrad M Gerlach & George T Wiley

Com. Axel Magnusson
Residence 315 Beacon st Somerville
Occupation Manufacturer
Place of business 315 Beacon st Somerville
Member of Somerville Lodge and Somerville R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights John F Cook & Charles L Higgins

Comp. Bernard Frank Macey
Residence 931 South st Roslindale
Occupation Merchant
Place of business 410 Boylston st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Joseph Andrew Maier
 Residence 123 Minden st Boston
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business Boston Public Library
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Miles Raywood Pineo
 Residence 166 Huntington Ave Boston
 Occupation Cashier
 Place of business 136 Federal st Boston
 Member of Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Harold W Martin & William M Call

Comp. William James Parkins
 Residence 77 Reservoir st Cambridge
 Occupation Chief Investigator
 Place of business Rm 481 State House Boston
 Member of Putnam Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Elmer G Page & George P Page

Comp. Frederick Lawrence Robinson
 Residence 17 Garrison st Boston
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business 51 North Market st Boston
 Member of Mt. Herman Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knights William J. Hunt & Burton G Ellis

Comp. Henry John Roberts
 Residence 36 Hancock st Boston
 Occupation Passenger Conductor B & M R R
 Place of business Rm 56 North Station Boston
 Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sir George U Bauer & Sir Knight George T. Wiley

Comp. Edward Fowler Shiek
 Residence 11 Webster st Brookline
 Occupation Commercial Traveler
 Place of business 11 Webster st Brookline
 Member of Revere Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Woodbury Underhill
 Residence 15 Kenwood st Brookline
 Occupation Heating & Ventilating Eng.
 Place of business 171 Harrison Ave Boston
 Member of Beth-horen Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P. Small & Joseph W Work

Comp. Frank Albert Walker
 Residence 12 Bradbury Ave Medford
 Occupation Real Estate
 Place of business 460 Salem st Medford
 Member of Corinthian Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knights William J Flint & Joseph W Work

Comp. John Andrew Walker Jr
Residence 111 Fellsway West Medford
Occupation Real Estate
Place of business 460 Salem st Medford
Member of Samuel C Lawrence Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights William J. Flint & Joseph W Work

Comp. Ernest Whitney
Residence 21 Fells Ave Terr Medford
Occupation Chauffeur
Place of business 46 & 48 Faneuil Hall Market Boston
Member of Mt. Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights William J Flint & Joseph W Work

Comp. James Arden Parker
Residence 240 Babcock st Brookline
Occupation Salesman Manager
Place of business 39 Commercial Wharf Boston
Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Benjamin K Gorham & Joseph W Work

Comp. Edmund Stevens Childs
Residence 323 Mass Ave Lexington Mass
Occupation Wholesale Provisions
Place of business 57 North Market st Boston
Member of Mass Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George E Bridgeham & Edward N West

Comp. Earl Mountain Thomas
Residence 397 Highland Ave Wollaston Mass
Occupation Asst Actuary
Place of business 120 Franklin st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Liverus H Howe & Em Sir Frederick
H. Briggs

Presentation

Eminent Sir Charles W. Howard presented to Eminent Sir Walter B. Tripp a sword and belt in behalf of the Commandery.

Eminent Sir Tripp in a very pleasant manner thanked Eminent Sir Howard for his kind words and thanked the Commandery for the beautiful gift.

The Commander presented Sir Knight Dwight Prouty to the Commandery, he being one of the older members, and he was received cordially by the Sir Knights.

The guests of the evening were the Officers of De Molay Commandery.

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Karl Cushing Stephens, he having been entitled to the same, and after

signing the B_J-Laws became a member of Boston Commandery.

Order of Malta

The business of the priory having been finished, the Commandery was closed at 8:30 P. M.

Entertainment

The Commander announced that an entertainment would be presented and an hour was enjoyed by the Sir Knights and Guests.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph C. W. W. 15

Recorder

Commandery Ball

Voted: that the Commandery be authorized to give a ball at a date to be decided upon later, and that the Council have full powers to make all arrangements.

Masonic Club

The Commander received Sir Knight William L. Terhune President of the Masonic Club and Sir Knights who were also officers of said Club, and introduced them to the Commandery who received them in a very hearty and cordial manner.

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 18, 1922

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications being favorable upon ballot, the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Clarence W. Bell
Comp. Donald Vinton Baker
Comp. Rayworth Burnham
Comp. Fred Raymond Bowman
Comp. Charles Francis Crocker
Comp. William Alexander Coakley
Comp. Edward Cola Chase
Comp. Alva H. Clark
Comp. Sydney Read David
Comp. Ralph Edward Davis
Comp. Vernon Lorenzo Greene
Comp. William Harry Gulliver
Comp. Andrew Church Littlefield
Comp. Owen Douglas McClallan
Comp. Louis Frederick Miller
Comp. Harry Miller
Comp. Walter Ralph Mansfield.
Comp. Axel Magnusson
Comp. Bernard Frank Macey
Comp. Joseph Andrew Maier
Comp. Miles Raywood Pineo
Comp. William James Parkins
Comp. Frederick Lawrence Robinson
Comp. Henry John Roberts
Comp. Edward Fowler Shiek
Comp. William Woodbury Underhill
Comp. Frank Albert Walker
Comp. John Andrew Walker Jr
Comp. Ernest Whitney
Comp. James Arden Parker
Comp. Edmund Stevens Childs
Comp. Earle Mountain Thomas

Donations

The Trustees of the Permanent Fund reported having received from the Estate of Eminent Sir Samuel C Lawrence \$10,000.00.

Also from the same Estate for the Samuel C. Lawrence Charity Fund \$5000.00, and the Recorder was requested to forward a suitable letter of acceptance.

Visitors

The Eminent Commander requested the Generalissimo to proceed proper escort and introduce the visitors in waiting, and the following Eminent Sirs were duly introduced.

Eminent Sir John H. Whitehead, Commander of Quincy Commandery. Eminent Sir Walter H. Wade, Commander of William Parkman Commandery. Em. Sir Arthur Clifford, Commander Coeur De Lion Commandery, Em. Sir George M. Rogers, Commander of St. Omar Commandery, Em. Sir William Wragg, Commander of Cypress Commandery, and Sir Knight George B. Dexheimer Captain General of Quincy Commandery.

Work

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon the following Companions of the Red Cross and Malta, they being entitled to the same.

Comp. Frederick Albert Hutchins
 Comp. Edison Alva Johnson
 Comp. George Henry Wood
 Comp. Herbert Smith Evans
 Comp. Percy Allen Goodale
 Comp. Louis Mason LaRhette
 Comp. Horace Marsh Stevens

Dinner

The Commander announced that a dinner was to be served and invited the officers, members and guests to the banquet hall.

Work

The Commandery resumed business at 7:55 o'clock P. M. and the work of the Order of the Temple on the above named Companions completed.

The Commander and the officers of the Commandery were ably assisted by Em. Sir John H. Whitehead, Em. Sir George M. Rogers, Em. Sir Walter H. Wade, Em. Sir Arthur Clifford and Em. Sir William Wragg, and the above named Companions were all dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knight Templars.

after which they all signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery, and received their diplomas.

The Committee on New Orleans Trip made a very favorable and Concise report.

There being no further business the Commandery closed in Due Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A True Record:

Attest:



Recorder

Past Commanders present.

Em. Sir Frederick T Comee
Em. Sir Eugene A Holton
Em. Sir Leonard B. Nichols
Em. Sir Charles S Damrell
Em. Sir James S Blake
Em. Sir Jesse E Ames
Em. Sir Leonard W. Ross
Em. Sir Frederick C. Graves
Em. Sir George U. Bauer
Em. Sir Charles W. Howard
Em. Sir Walter B. Tripp

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Wednesday, February 15, 1922

Stated Conclave

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Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Petitions

The Committees upon the following applications being favorable, upon ballot the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. William Mitchell Beach
Comp. John Welton Boyd
Comp. Walter E. Fuller
Comp. Frederick W. Faller
Comp. Henry Louis Harding
Comp. Robert Bell MacKenzie
Comp. Reginald Middleton
Comp. Frederick Ott Lyter
Comp. Henry Breidenbach Wiegner
Comp. George Aloysius Craig

Deaths

The Eminent Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Charles H. Bradley
Sir Knight Albert C. Ashton
Sir Knight Joseph Gridley
Sir Knight Robert W. Browning

The following applications were read.

Comp. Fred Rinaldo Butters
Residence 39 Huntington Ave Boston, Mass.
Occupation Printer
Place of business Falmouth & St Paul sts Boston Mass
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter of Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights Daniel J Cotter & John W Knowles

Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn
Residence 73 Tyndale st Roslindale Mass
Occupation Mechanical Dentist
Place of business John Hood Company 178 Tremont st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Arthur E Cook

Comp. George Ernest Dennett
Residence 71 Gardner st Allston Mass
Occupation Clerk Coffin & Burr
Place of business 60 State st Boston Mass
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & Mt. Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Kirkland & Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs

Comp. Frederick Samuel Fogg
Residence 200 Riverway Boston Mass
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 551 Boylston st Boston Mass
Member of St Johns Lodge & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Guy C Willis & William I Corthrell

Comp. Charles M. Hemenway (If jurisdiction is released)
Residence Framingham Ctr Mass
Occupation Bond dealer
Place of business 35 Federal st Boston Mass
Member of Middlesex Lodge & Concord R A Chapter Framingham
Recommended by Sir Knight Charles E Bartlett & Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs

Comp. Charles Otis Lawton
Residence 226 Huntington Ave Boston Mass
Occupation Jeweler
Place of business 373 Washington st Boston Mass
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Kirkland & Philip B. Bradbury

Comp. Robert Smith
Residence 87 Shore Drive Winthrop
Occupation Dealer in Sporting Goods
Place of business 75 Federal st Boston Mass
Member of St Pauls Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights John C Poncelet & Joseph W Work

Comp. George Walter Vialle (If jurisdiction is released)
Residence 100 Main st Concord Mass
Occupation Auto Dealer
Place of business Walden st Concord Mass
Member of Corinthian Lodge & Walden R A Chapter Concord
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles M Cox & Edward B Caiger

For Membership

Sir knight Alvin William Quennell
Residence 71 High st Canton Mass
Occupation Commercial Engineer
Place of business 84 State st Boston Mass
Member of Washington Lodge Roxbury & St George Chapter of New York, #157, and St. George Commandery #57 of Schenectady N. Y.
Recommended by Sir Knnghts H. E. Seavey & Dwight W Timmerman

In Memoriam

RINALDO BUREN RICHARDSON

Born in Pelham, Mass., June 17, 1855
 Died in Scituate, Mass., November 19, 1921.

He attended the public schools in Malden, Mass., and Brown University in Providence, R. I. where he prepared for the legal profession which he did not practice, as he became interested in the management and sale of real estate and financial affairs to which he devoted his business life.

He became earnestly and actively interested in all branches of Freemasonry and received the degrees and membership in Joseph Warren Lodge A F & A M, St. Andrews R. A. Chapter, Boston Council R. & S. M, Boston Commandery #2, K. T. Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, Giles F. Yates Council Princes of Jerusalem, Mount Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix, and Massachusetts Consistory.

He was Worshipful Master of Joseph Warren Lodge in 1915. He was Thrice Illustrious Master of Boston Council, 1899, Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Council R & S M of Massachusetts, 1902, Eminent Commander of Boston Commandery, 1902-1904 and Commander-in-chief of Massachusetts, 1904-5-6. On September 18, 1906, he was crowned a Sovereign Grand Inspector General of the 33rd and last degree. Con

His interest in and devotion to Masonry continued until his death, but for some years his failing health prevented active participation in its affairs.

He was a strong type of manhood, of decided opinions, uncompromising in standing for what he believed to be right, a firm and steadfast friend to those who gained his friendship.

His widow, who was Miss Bertha Young of Scituate Harbor, survives him, and to her we express our sincere sympathy and the hope that Divine aid may come to her in her affliction.

"And here, at last, is sleep, the gift of gifts,
 The tender nurse, who lifts
 The soul grown weary of the waiting world
 And lays it, with its thoughts all furled,
 Its fears forgotten, and its passions still,
 On the deep bosom of the Eternal Will."

Fraternally submitted

Frederick T. Comee

For the Committee

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery and opened a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and announced that Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Generalissimo would conduct the ceremonies with the assistance of the other Officers, and the following Companions were received.

Comp. Clarence W. Bell
Comp. Donald V. Baker
Comp. Rayworth Burnham
Comp. Fred Raymond Bowman
Comp. Charles Francis Crocker
Comp. William Alexander Coakley
Comp. Edward Cola Chase
Comp. Alva H. Clark
Comp. Sydney Read David
Comp. Ralph Edward Davis
Comp. Vernon Lorenzo Greene
Comp. William Harry Gallifer
Comp. Andrew Church Littlefield
Comp. Owen Douglas McClellan
Comp. Louis Frederick Miller
Comp. Harry Miller
Comp. Walter Ralph Mansfield
Comp. William Arthur Humphry
Comp. Axel Magnusson
Comp. Bernard Frank Macey
Comp. Joseph Andrew Maier
Comp. Miles Raywood Pineo
Comp. William James Parkins
Comp. Henry John Roberts
Comp. Edward Fowler Shiek
Comp. William Woodbury Underhill
Comp. Ernest Whitney
Comp. James Ardan Parker
Comp. Edmund Stevens Childs
Comp. Earle Mountain Thomas
Comp. William Mitchell Beach
Comp. John Welton Boyd
Comp. Walter E. Fuller
Comp. Frederick W. Faller
Comp. Henry Louis Harding
Comp. Robert Bell MacKenzie
Comp. Reginald Middleton
Comp. Frederick O Lyter
Comp. Henry Breidenbach Weigner
Comp. George Aloysius Craig
Comp.

The Generalissimo with a proper escort waited upon the guests in waiting, and presented and introduced Eminent Sir John W. Whitehead, Commander, and Sir Knight George B. Dexheimer, Captain General of Quincy Commandery. Also Sir Knight Walter Smith Junior Warden of De Molay Commandery, and William Wragg, Commander of Cypress Commandery, and Em. Sir Herbert F. Sawyer, Past Commander of St. Omer Commandery.

The above visitors with Very Em. Sir James S. Blake, Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island assisted in receiving the candidates.

The Commander invited Past Commander Em. Sir George H. Dale of Gethsemane Commandery, and Sir Knight Louis L. Green, Generalissimo of Cambridge Commandery to receive a candidate.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the usual dinner was waiting, and the lines were formed, and the guests, officers and Sir Knights proceeded to the banquet hall where they met a delegation from the Massachusetts Legislature and they enjoyed an hour of social entertainment.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery resumed business on the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and finished communicating the Order to the balance of the candidates.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been closed, a priory of the Order of Malta was opened under the direction of Sir Knights Frank O. Clark, Captain General, and the above named Companions were received and the Order communicated to them.

Commandery Ball at the Cadet Armory, Boston.

As arranged by the Council the Ball took place Saturday evening, February 11th, and was a great success. About three thousand were in attendance. A most beautiful display was the banners of the Order and flags of the State and Country by the following Commanderies.

St. Johns #1 Providence	St Omer #21 Boston
Boston # 2 Boston	Woonsocket #24 Woonsocket
Newburyport # 3 Newburyport	Joseph Warren #26 Boston
Worcester County #5 Worcester	Narraganset #27 Westerly R I
De Molay # 7 Boston	William Parkman #28 E. Boston
Holy Sepulchre #8 Pawtucket	Bristol #29 Attleboro
Pilgrim # 9 Lowell	South Shore #31 E Weymouth
Palestine #10 Chelsea	Natick #33 Natick
Milford #11 Milford	Coeur de Lion #34 Charlestown
St Bernard # 12 Boston	Gethsemane #35 Newtonville
Calvary #13 Providence	Olivet #36 Lynn
Old Colony # 15 Abington	Bay State #38 Brockton
Sutton # 16 New Bedford	Cypress # 39 Hyde Park
Betheny #17 Lawrence	Beauseant #41 Malden
Jerusalem #19 Fitchburg	Cambridge #42 Cambridge
Hugh De Payens #20 Melrose	St George #44 Beverly
Reading #50 Reading	Quincy #47 Quincy
Thomas Smith Webb #51 Providence	Temple #48 Norwood

For the arrangement and carrying out to a success of the presentation of the colors and standards great credit is due to Sir Knights Clarence J. MacKenzie the Standard Bearer, and Richmond G. Stoehr who directed the ceremonies.

The Priory having finished its business in communicating the Order of Malta to the candidates, it was closed at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wark

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T
 Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple
 Boston, Mass.,
 Wednesday, March 15, 1922.

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 2:30 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

~~The Committees reports upon the following applications~~
 upon the following applications being favorable upon ballot the same being clear were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Fred Rinaldo Butters
 Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn
 Comp. George Ernest Dennett
 Comp. Frederick Small Fogg
 Comp. Charles Otis Lawton
 Comp. Robert Smith
 Comp. Henry Charles Kneppenberg Jr

For Membership

Sir Knight Alvin William Quennell

The following applications were read

Comp. Chester Alonzo Baker
 Residence 71 Harvard Ave Brookline
 Occupation Druggist
 Place of business 29 Mass Ave Boston
 Member of Brookline Lodge, Brookline, St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Andrew P Cornwall Joseph W Work

Comp. Josiah Kirkwood Craig
 Residence 66 Emerald st Boston
 Occupation Clergyman
 Place of business 80 Emerald st Boston
 Member of Jewel Lodge N H Hiram R A Chapter N H
 Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs Sir Knight
 Harold W Martin

Comp. James Walter Feneley
 Residence 45 Westland Ave Boston
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business 64 Cummington st Boston
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Bos
 Recommended by Sir Knights L Curtis Turner Phillip B Bradbury

Comp. Louis Valentine Joyce
 Residence 58 Liberty Ave W. Somerville
 Occupation Contracting Engineer
 Place of business 172 High st Boston
 Member of John Abbot Lodge Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Higgins Elmer B Lincoln

Comp. Glen Willis Lawrence
 Residence 58 Nottingham Rd Brighton
 Occupation Dentist
 Place of business 520 Beacon st Boston
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Starr A Burdick & W. J. Kennedy

Comp. William Campbell Miles
 Residence 47 Forest st Medford
 Occupation Manufacturer
 Place of business 89 Riverside Ave Medford
 Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knights Edward E Papkee & Charles H Barnes

Comp. Harold Goethe Mitchell
 Residence 1232 Beacon st Brookline
 Occupation Pres Knitted Padding Company
 Place of business Canton
 Member of Mt. Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights D Henry Childs T Frederick Brunton

Comp. John Sherman Myers
 Residence 83 Brattle st Cambridge
 Occupation N E T & T Co
 Place of business 245 State st Boston
 Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge St Pauls R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knoghts Horace M Stevens Ernest T Cobb

Comp. Nelson J. Peabody
 Residence 223 Fuller st Brookline
 Occupation Advertising Manager
 Place of business 8 Arlington st Boston Mass
 Member of Mt Lebanon & St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Delano Andrew P Cornwall

Comp. John Meltiades Stratis
 Residence 1 Center st Terr Roxbury
 Occupation Restaurant
 Place of business 1137 Columbus Ave Boston Boston
 Member of Union Lodge New London Conn St Pauls R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Arthur Albert Shafter
 Residence 8 Hancock st Boston
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business
 Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Frederick H Briggs Sir Knight Joseph W. Work

Comp. Roy Lorne Westcott
 Residence 55 Johnson Ave Winthrop
 Occupation Manager
 Place of business Boston City Club Boston
 Member of Palestine Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Em Sir James S Blake Charles W Howard

Comp. Blair Andrew Wortman
 Residence 111 Norway St Boston
 Occupation Buyer
 Place of business 38 Summer st Boston
 Member of Joseph Webb & St Paul R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Starr A Burdick W J Kennedy

Visitors

The Generalissimo, George T. Wiley, with the proper escort, proceeded to the ante room and received, and afterwards introduced to the Commander and Commandery the following visiting Sir Knights.

Em. Sir John H. Whitehead, Commander of Quincy Commandery
 Sir Knight George B. Dexheimer, Captain Gen Quincy Commandery
 Em. Sir Irving G. Findlay, Past Commander De Molay Commandery
 Sir Knight Belcher Generalissimo of Ancon Commandery
 #1 of the Isthmus of Panama, Canal Zone.
 Em. Sir Herbert M. Fowle, Past Commander William Parkman Commandery
 Em Sir Alva W. Rydstrom Past Commander of Joseph Warren Commandery.

The Ill. Order of the Red Cross.

The Commandery was closed and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the Ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Generalissimo,

The following Companions were received.

Comp. John Andrew Walker Jr
 Comp. Frank Albert Walker
 Comp. Charles Otis Lawton
 Comp. Henry Charles Kneppenbergr Jr
~~Comp. Fred Rinaldo Butters~~
~~Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn~~
~~Comp. George Ernest Bennett~~
~~Comp. Frederick Samuel Fogg~~
~~Comp. Robert Smith~~

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having conferred the degree upon the above named Companions, it was closed and a priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the Ceremonies were conducted upon the said Companions under the direction of Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple and the Commander announced that a dinner was in waiting.

The officers, Sir Knights and guests repaired to the banquet hall where they partook of the usual dinner.

Entertainment

After the dinner, the Sir Knights and guests enjoyed the presentation of the Passion Play.

Order of the Temple.

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 8:50 o'clock P. M., and the following Companions of the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Malta were presented, and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon the following Companions.

Comp. John Andrew Walker Jr
Comp. Frank Albert Walker
~~Comp. Frederick Lawrence Robinson~~
Comp. William Mitchell Beach
Comp. John Welton Boyd
Comp. Walter E. Fuller
Comp. Frederick W Faller
Comp. Henry Louis Harding
Comp. Robert Bell MacKenzie
Comp. Reginald Middleton
Comp. Frederick Ott Lyter
Comp. Henry Breidenbach Wiegner
Comp. George Aloysius Craig
Comp. Clarence W Bell
Comp. Donald Vinton Baker
Comp. Rayworth Burnham
Comp. Fred Raymond Bowman
Comp. Charles Francis Crocker
Comp. William Alexander Coakley
Comp. Edward Cola Chase
Comp. Alva H Clark
Comp. Sydney Read David
Comp. Vernon Lorenzo Greene
Comp. William Harry Gullifer
Comp. Andrew Church Littlefield
Comp. Owen Douglas McLellan
Comp. Louis Frederick Miller
Comp. Harry Miller
Comp. Charles Otis Lawton
Comp. Henry Charles Kneppenberg Jr
Comp. Walter Ralph Mansfield
Comp. William Arthur Humphrey
Comp. Axel Magnusson
Comp. Bernard Frank Macey
Comp. Joseph Andrew Maies
Comp. Miles Raywood Pineo

Comp. William James Parkins
Comp. Henry John Roberts
Comp. William Woodbury Underhill
Comp. Ernest Whitney
Comp. James Arden Parker
Comp. Edmund Stevens Childs
Comp. Earl Mountain Thomas

And the above named Companions were all dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knight Templars, after which they all signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery, receiving their diplomas.

Dimits

The following Sir Knights, being square upon the books, they were granted a dimit from the Commandery.

Sir Knight Fred A Yeaton and Sir Knight W. T. H. Salter

The Commander announced there were no deaths during the month.

Old Work

One of the most interesting features of the evening was the receiving of the candidate by Em. Sirs Frederick T. Comee and Eugene A. Holton exemplifying the old work of the Order of the Temple, and the same was enjoyed by all the Sir Knights present.

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed in Form at 10:35 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wone

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, April 19, 1922

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in due form at 4 o'clock P. M. with the following organization.

Sir Knight George T. Wiley	acting as Commander
Em. Sir Charles W. Howard	as Generalissimo
Em. Sir Frederick C Graves	Captain General
Em. Sir Joseph T. Paul	as Senior Warden
Sir Knight William P. Bullard	Junior Warden

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Orator

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Reports of Committee

The reports of the Committees upon the following applications being favorable, upon ballot the same being clear were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Alonzo Baker
Comp. Josiah Kirkwood Craig
Comp. James Walter Feneley
Comp. Louis Valentine Joyce
Comp. Glen Willis Lawrence
Comp. William Campbell Miles
Comp. Harold Goethe Mitchell
Comp. John Sherman Myers
Comp. Nelson J. Peabody *(John)*
Comp. John Meltiades Straits *(Straits)*
Comp. Arthur Albert Shafter
Comp. Roy Lorne Westcott
Comp. Blair Andrew Wortman

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Herbert James Scott Coles
Residence 37 Stockton st Dorchester
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 131 State st Boston
Member of Macedonian Lodge, Milton, Dorchester R A Chapter
Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights Herbert Burwell Horace E Spear

Comp. Harry Langdon
 Residence 41 Sargent Ave Somerville
 Occupation Druggist
 Place of business 90 Cross st Somerville
 Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights George A Berry & Frank L Morse

Comp. Wallace Merritt McNaught
 Residence 186 Harvard st Dorchester
 Occupation Insurance
 Place of business 120 Water st Boston
 Member of Lafayette Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson
 Jr

Comp. Charles Stearns McGill
 Residence 1066 Com'lth Ave Boston
 Occupation Sales Mgr
 Place of business 52 Chauncy st Boston
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Starr A Burdick & Guy C Willis

Comp. Earl Frank Palmer
 Residence 6 Liberty Ave Somerville
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 73 Tremont st Boston
 Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter, Arlington
 Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard, Winfield L
 Nourse

Comp. Edward Moore Shedd
 Residence 4 Lakeview, Arlington
 Occupation Representing Thompson Meter Company
 Place of business Brooklyn N Y
 Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sirs Walter B Tripp Joseph T Paul

Comp. Levi Wyman Steward
 Residence 15 Harvard st Charlestown
 Occupation Passenger Conductor
 Place of business B & M R R Boston
 Member of Faith Lodge Charlestown & St Pauls R A Chapter
 Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & Henry J Roberts

Comp. Duane Calef White
 Residence 9 Howland st Boston
 Occupation Asst Mgr
 Place of business 332 A Street Boston
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Duane White & William H Gordon

Comp. Arthur Ferdinand Weeks
 Residence 37 Moraine st Waverly
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business Hood Rubber Co Watertown
 Member of Pequossette Lodge Watertown & Belmont R A Chapter

Recommended by Sir Knights Lewis F Davis & Robert L. Rice

Comp. Claude Albert Palmer
Residence 8 Hillside Ave Needford Mass
Occupation Eastern Clay Goods Co
Place of business 73 Tremont st Boston Mass
Member of Horam Lodge Arlington & Menotomy R A Chapter
Arlington
Recommended by William P Bullard & Winfield L. Nourse

Comp. Charles Grover Eichenberger
Residence 53 Beach st Wollaston Mass
Occupation Sales Mgr
Place of business 867 Boylston st Boston
Member of Rural Lodge Quincy & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George Henry Wood Joseph W Work

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery and opened a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and Sir Knight George T. Wiley, acting Commander, conducted the ceremonies with the assistance of the other officers, and the following Companions were received.

Comp. Frederick Rinaldo Butters
Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn
Comp. George Ernest Dennett
Comp. Frederick Samuel Fogg
Comp. Robert Smith
Comp. Josiah Kirkwood Craig
Comp. James Walter Fenely
Comp. Louis Valentine Joyce
Comp. Glen Willis Lawrence
Comp. William Campbell Miles
Comp. Harold Goethe Mitchell
Comp. John Sherman Myers
Comp. Nelson J Peabody
Comp. John Meltiades Straits *Shawtee*
Comp. Arthur Albert Shafter
Comp. Roy Lorne Westcott
Comp. Blair Andrew Wortman

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall.

Entertainment

The Committee furnished and entertainment which was enjoyed by all present.

The Ill Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery resumed business on the Ill Order

of the Red Cross, and finished communicating the Order to the balance of the candidates.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having been closed, a priory of the Order of Malta was opened under the direction of the Em Commander, George T. Wiley, and the following Companions were received and the Order communicated to them.

Comp. Frederick Rinaldo Butters
 Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn
 Comp. George Ernest Dennett
 Comp. Frederick Samuel Fogg
 Comp. Robert Smith
 Comp. Josiah Kirkwood Craig
 Comp. James Walter Feneley
 Comp. Louis Valentine Joyce
 Comp. Glen Willis Lawrence
 Comp. William Campbell Miles
 Comp. Harold Goethe Mitchell
 Comp. John Sherman Myers
 Comp. Nelson J Peabody
 Comp. John Meltiades Straits
 Comp. Arthur Albert Shafter
 Comp. Roy Lorne Westcott
 Comp. Blair Andrew Wortman

Visitors

The Commandery was favored with the following visitors.

Em. Sir Charles W. Pike, Past Commander of St Omer Commandery and Em. Sir Gardner R P Barker, Past Commander of South Shore Commandery.

Cable to Em. Commander Briggs.

April 19, 1922

Briggs
 S S Cristobal
 Cristobal C Z

Baker elected. Best wishes Commander, Sir Knights and Guests.
 Boston Commandery

Closing

The business of the priory having been finished, the Commandery was closed at 8:48 P. M.

Deaths

A true record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T
 Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple
 Boston, Mass.
 Saturday, April 8, 1922

Special Conclave

The Commandery was opened on Saturday, April 8th at 12 o'clock noon, on the Order of the Temple, Eminent Commander Frederick H. Briggs presided in the chair. Those present were as follows:-

Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs	Commander
Sir Knight George T. Wiley	Generalissimo
Sir Knight Frank O. Clark	Captain General
Sir Knight Joseph W. Work	Recorder
Sir Knight William P. Bullard	Junior Warder
Sir Knight Robert G. Wilson	Warder
Sir Knight Charles B Wood	Commissary
Sir Knight Albert B Hall	Quartermaster
Sir Josiah T. Dyer	
Sir Knight Warren B. Ellis	
Sir Knight Baker	
Sir Knight Samuel Best	
Sir Knight Wilfred L Nourse	
Sir Knight Harold W Martin	
Sir Knight Howard Fletcher	
Sir Knight Charles A. Watts	

The prayer was offered by Prelate Emeritus, Warren B. Ellis. The Commandery was opened for the purpose of attending the Conclave at New Orleans for the purpose of working the Orders of Red Cross, Malta and Temple on the high seas. The lines were formed under the direction of the Captain General, and the start for New Orleans was made. The party assembled at 9 o'clock Monday morning, April 10th at the Summer Street Terminal of the New York, New Haven & Hartford R R where they embarked in a special car for New York. Upon arrival at New York at the Pennsylvania Station, the party was transferred to Pier 67 where a river steamer was taken to Pier 1, Hoboken, where the party proceeded to the steamer Cristobal which was beautifully decorated with flags, at the fore peak flying the Beauseant. At the dock were the Vice-President of the Panama Steamship Co., and other Officers to see the party off. The Cristobal at once proceeded to sea with the following Officers:

Captain Skillings
 1st Mate
 2nd Mate
 3rd Mate

The Cristobal sailed at 5:45 P. M., immediately proceeding to sea.

At dinner that night the announcement was made that at luncheon and dinner each day the blessing would be given before each meal and this was carried out throughout the entire trip.

The following days were pleasantly passed on board the steamer, dancing and games enlivening the time. Too much cannot be said of the orchestra which furnished beautiful music on the trip. Two of the men in the orchestra were from Sousa's Band and one from the Symphony Orchestra.

On Friday morning the Island of San Salvador was sighted, which was the first land sighted by Columbus. While passing the Island the event was celebrated by an egg breaking contest, an episode which Columbus has made famous. That night, being Good Friday night, the Southern Cross came to view through the forward rigging of the ship. It seemed especially appropriate that this brightest constellation should be sighted on Friday night.

Saturday was spent in skirting the Island of Cuba, and early Sunday morning the ship Jamaica was sighted. The Cristobal was docked at 9 A. M. Easter Sunday and a delegation, including the Commander, attended Divine Services in the English Church at Jamaica where special consideration was shown to the entire party. The remainder of the day was spent in sight seeing over this mountainous Island, lunch being taken by most of the party at the Myrtlebank Hotel.

The ship sailed from Jamaica at 5 P. M., immediately taking the trade winds across the Carribean Sea for Cristobal. The day before reaching Cristobal, Eminent Sir Bliss, Chariman of the Committee for our Entertainment, opened wireless communication with the ship during which exchange the Canal Zone requested that all of the arrangements made by Raymond & Whitcomb Company be cancelled, and their arrangements for entertainment accepted, which continued until the ship finally arrived at Cristobal where the Pilot was taken aboard and also Em. Sir Bliss. With the Port Doctor also came on board another delegation from the Canal Zone Commandery #1, and also a representative from the Government who presented to the Commandery the freedom of the Port. This was a very significant act as it had never been presented to any person or body except diplomats, to whom this courtesy is always extended. Immediately the ship was docked, the members of the Canal Zone came on board with their ladies, and extended the courtesies of the Zone to the Commandery and their members, and the entire party were then taken by automobiles and driven around Cristobal and Colon on a sight seeing trip. That evening Commander French and the officers of the Canal Zone Commandery #1 entertained the members and ladies of Boston Commandery at a banquet at the Hotel Washington, after which they attended a reception at which were present not only the Templars and ladies, but also Masons and the Governor of Colon, Excellency Arosemena, a true Spanish gentlemen with all the courtesy

and breeding that Spain represents, Commander French was also host of other occasions which followed. The next morning the entire party were taken by automobiles and driven to the Gatun Locks where the mystery of the Canal was explained and operated for their benefit. A special train was then taken to the dam and spillway which was operated for our party. This was the most beautiful and gorgeous sight seen on the entire trip. The steamer Gold Star was next taken for a trip through the Lake and Culebra Cut. It is worthy of note that Captain Wallace of the Gold Star is a member of St. John's Lodge of Boston. The emergency dam was operated for the party. This dam is one that is to be used only in case the locks give way, when the water is held back in the lakes so that the canal may not be destroyed. Many of the men who have been in the Canal Zone for 10 and 12 years have never seen this in operation. In this place a picture was taken of the party with the dam swung across the ~~swung across~~ the locks cutting off the water. From there the entire party were taken in automobiles to Balboa where they were entertained at the Tivoli Hotel. The Commander paid his respects to Governor Merrill in the Government building while the rest of the party enjoyed luncheon. The afternoon was spent by the party in sight seeing around Balboa, Panama, and adjoining places. That evening Boston Commandery entertained the Officer of Panama Commandery, also the District Grand Master, Sir Knight Ralph Osborn, and the Deputy of the Supreme Council of the 33rd Southern jurisdiction, Sir Knight William W. Jones, at a Banquet at the Country Club in Panama. Mrs. Briggs entertained the Ladies of the Panama Canal Zone Commandery at the Hotel Tivoli.

The next morning the party was taken to the fortifications at the entrance from the Pacific. These fortifications are on a mountain. The entrance is through a tunnel which leads through the mountain where an elevator is taken to the top. Here the guns and other fortifications are kept. On returning the party went immediately to the dock where they boarded the Cristobal. Cheers were given and courtesies extended and the Cristobal sailed at 12:15 for New Orleans after one of the most enjoyable visits ever paid by any Commandery to a sister Commandery.

At Sea on Board S S. Cristobal
Friday, April 21, 1922

Time 2:30 P. M.
Lat. 14'-57-N
Long 81'-14-W

Distance from Panama 341 Miles.

Business resumed in Commandery at 2:30 P. M. at which time Past Commanders were received.
There were 18 Commanderies represented.
Forty-five in full regalia.

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Business was suspended in the Commandery and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened for the reception of candidates with the following organization.

Sov. Master
Chancellor
P. M. P.

Em. Sir Frederick H Briggs
Em. Sir Levi E Smith (Gardner)
Sir Knight Capt. Gen. Frank O. Clark.

M. C.
M. I.
High Priest
M. F.
M. D.
S. B.
S. B.
Warder
Sentinel
1st Guard
2nd Guard
3rd Guard

Em Sir Edgar W. Evans
Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton
Em. Sir Jesse E Ames
Em. Sir Marvin French (Canal Zone)
Sir Knight Harrie E Mason
Sir knight Clarence J McKenzie
Em Sir Frederick W Lord
Em Sir Herbert F Sawyer
Walter B Ellis
Elmer B Lincoln
John A McFarland
Edward W Phillips

The Order of the Red Cross was conferred on Comp. Chester Alonzo Baker. The lights used were made by W. B. Underwood, a member of Smithfield, Union Lodge #18 on Board Ship. Robe and sash used were furnished by the Ladies accompanying the Sir Knights. The bridge used was made by parts of steamer chairs. The Council of Ill Order of the Red Cross was closed at 3:55 P. M., and business was resumed in the Commandery. Business was suspended in the Commandery at 3:45 and a Priory of Knights of Malta opened for the reception of candidates.

The Order of Malta was conferred in Short Form on Companion Chester Alonzo Baker by Sir Knight Capt. Gen Frank O. Clark assisted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, as Marshall, Em. Sir Jesse E. Ames as Chaplain, and Em. Sir Herbert F. Sawyer, Captain of the Out Post, Sir Knight Walter B. Ellis, Guard. The St John sword was used on the Altar, also a cross made by the Ship's carpenter. At 4 o'clock P. M. the Order of Malta was closed, and business resumed in the Commandery. At 4:15 Recess was declared.

The work was exceptionally good. The services of Em. Sir Jesse E. Ames were of such nature that special mention is here made of them.

Saturday, April 22, 1922.

On Board SS Cristobal
Lat. 21' 10' North
Long 85' 9' West

9 P. M. Off Coast of Cuba

Boston Commandery K. T. resumed work at 7:30 with the following organization.

Commander
Gen

Em. Sir Frederick H Briggs
Sir Knight Frank O Clark

Capt. Gen.
S. W.
J. W.
Prelate
Treas
Recorder
Standard Bearer
Sword Bearer
Warder
Beauseant Bearer
Nat Color Bearer
Sentinel
1st Guard
2nd Guard
3rd Guard
Asst Guard
" "
" "

Em Sir Levi E Smith
Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton
Em Sir Edgar L Evans
Em Sir Jesse E Ames
Em Sir French
Sir Knight Harrie E Mason
Sir Knight Clarence J McKenzie
Em Sir Fred Lord
Em Sir Herbert Sawyer
Sir Knight James D McClellan
Sir Knight Daniel B Badger
Sir Knight Walter B Ellis
Sir Knight Elmer B Lincoln
Sir Knight John A McFarland
Sir Knight Edward W Phillips
Sir Knight Joshua M Bragg
Sir Knight R. Willard McCormack
Sir Knight Frank S Lovewell

The Order of the Temple was conferred on Chester Alonzo Baker, a Knight of Malta, in full Form.

Adjourned at 9:15

After the adjournment of the Commandery Sir Knight Baker invited all the Sir Knights and their Ladies to a collation at which a very pleasant and happy time was spent.

On this day Sir Knight Adolph Lundin passed away.

Sir Knight Adolph Samuel Lundin

Raised a Master Mason
Exalted A Royal Arch Mason
Dubbed a Knight Templar in Boston Commandery
Died Saturday, April 22, 1922, at 12:50 P. M.

Sunday April, 23, 1922.

On Board S S Cristobal Gulf of Mexico

Religious Services held in dining saloon at which Sir Knights, and Ladies, and also Capt. Skillings, attended. Service Church of England rendered by Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs.

Afternoon spent in a social way.

At 3 P. M. the Distinct Grand Lodge of the Canal Zone under jurisdiction of the M. W. Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, will lay the corner stone of St Lukes Episcopal Church at Ancon, C. Z. in connection with which the Eminent Commander was pleased to send the following wireless.

James. C. Morris
Episcopal Bishop
Ancon, C. Z.

Boston Commandery on board S S Cristobal held

Evening Concert and speaking in Social Hall under the management of Mrs. Frederick H. Briggs assisted by Miss Ramsdell, Mrs. H. F. Boynton, Mrs. Dennen, The Temple Quartette. Mr. Byron Smith told the apple story, and applied it to Mr. McKenzie, and Mrs. Briggs also gave a reading.

Episcopal Service simultaneously with you this morning, and send Knightly Greetings to you our Brothers, the Soldiers of the Cross. May God bless you and the District Grand Lodge in your work today in laying the corner stone, and keep watch over you and yours.

Briggs (Commander)

Monday, April 24, on Board.

Arrived at the mouth of the Mississippi River at 9:15 A. M.

The banks of the River were flooded 15 to 20 feet, the highest in twenty years. Quarentine at 11:30. All well.

Lunched at 1 o'clock at which time the Commander announced badges for exchange in the hands of Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

Four o'clock Burial Services were held in Social Hall in memory of Sir Knight Lundin. All Sir Knights and Ladies aboard were present.

Took aboard ship two Knight Templars at Canal Zone, two ladies, Mrs. Charles Peterson and Mrs. Louis Healy, both of Gatum, and one Master Mason bound for New Orleans.

We received a hearty welcome from the wharf, many of our Boston Fraters being at the pier, James S. Blake, William E. Milton and others. The shrieks from the many whistles in greeting our arrival was something to be long remembered.

Lines were formed aboard ship at 8:30 headed by a band with our banners and Colors, being carried by stewards from the steamer who were dressed in white. We marched, some ninety men to the Lee Monument where Em Sir Briggs placed a very beautiful wreath, which the Commandery brought from Boston for that purpose, saying "General Lee, we of the North salute you, the great soldier of the South".

From the Monument we fell in line for the parade which started at 10:30 A. M. passing the Grand Stand at 1 o'clock P. M. At 1:15 o'clock P. M. Lines were dismissed. On board steamer at 4 P. M. a tea was given by our Ladies under the care of Mrs. Briggs, at which about 300 Ladies and 100 Sir Knights attended. Light refreshments were served and music was furnished by an orchestra.

On Board Ship 8 P. M. Boston Commandery held a reception which attracted hundreds Sir Knights and their Ladies.

Lunch was served, music was rendered by an orchestra. A Special delegation from Pittsburgh Commandery called, and the Quartette from Pittsburgh Commandery rendered many songs.

During the reception, Boston Commandery, K. T. was favored with the presence of the Grand Master and entire suite. Our ship was beautifully decorated with flags, banners and thousands of electric lights. The harbor and streets were ablaze with lights.

At 12 O'clock, midnight, retired, after one royal day. Fine weather from the day we left Boston.

Wednesday April 26
On Board S S Cristobal

Sir Knights and Ladies spent the day sight seeing. The places of interest are many and varied too numerous to mention. Early in the morning the Sir Knights and Ladies with other visiting Knight and Ladies viewed the Madi Gras a sight well worth seeing, and long to be remembered. After which all Sir Knights and Ladies of Boston Cpmmandery attended a reception given by the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & R. I. at the Grunewald, Sir Knights of Boston Commandery assisting. Many Sir Knights and Ladies attended the Grand Ball at the Country Club.

4 o'clock on Board Ship.

Thursday, April 27.

Sailed at 7 A. M. for Cuba. Social events on Board Ship.

Friday, April 28.

En Route for Havana, Cuba.

Saturday April 29.

Passed Moro Castle 6:15 A. M.

Anchored in Havana Harbor 7 A. M. Usual Quarentine, then breakfast at 8 A. M. 8:20 we were greeted on board by Sir knight C. F. Koop, a member of Boston Commandery, accompanied by Sir Knight Hollingsworth of Havana, and a member of Havana Commandery, President of the American Club. Sir Knight Koop announced that he had arranged a drive for our party, and that autos would be in waiting. On landing, Sir Knight Hollingsworth invited our party to breakfast at 12 M at the Club. It was the first time in the history of the Club that Ladies had been invited to such an affair. The balance of the day was spent in seeing the City.

Sunday April 30.

S S Cristobal Havana Harbor

Breakfast Board Ship at 8 A. M. Church services on Board Ship.

Sailed at 5:45 P. M. Moro Castle was a great sight as

seen from the Port side, and a regular Coney Island from the Starboard.

Monday May 1

Homeward bound. Fair weather from leaving Havana. At 10 A. M. had a smart shower for thirty minutes, then clearing.

At 8:30 P. M. when all assembled in the social hall to attend a mock trial at which one of the Ladies sued a Sir Knight for breach of promise in the sum of fifty thousand dollars.

Tuesday May 2

Homeward bound. Fair weather and general social time. At 6 P. M. all assembled in the social hall, in fancy costume, and marched to dining room for dinner after which they gave a caberet show conducted by Mrs. Clarence McKenzie. Many of the Sir Knights and Ladies assisted by the stewards of the ship took part. The moon shone brightly, and the party was a great success ending with dancing on aft deck at 11 P. M.

Wednesday May 3

Beautiful morning off Chesapeake Bay. Day spent in usual activities. At 6 P. M. in full dress all assembled in dining saloon for the Captain's dinner, special menu having been prepared for the occasion, it being Capt. Skillings first meal in dining saloon with the passengers. After being introduced by the Em Commander, the Captain made a few remarks. Later at the dinner, Past Commander Jesse E Ames with very choice words, presented Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs in behalf of the Sir Knights a beautiful gold watch, in appreciation of his services and to commemorate his birthday. The evening closed with a general gathering in social hall where the party was favored by a reading "The Ships Log" by Roger K. Smith.

Thursday May 4.

At anchor New York 1:30 A. M.

Five A. M. the Bugle for rising.

6 A M Quarentined.

7 o'clock Breakfast.

8:30 Docked.

The usual Custom House Officials.

At 10 o'clock all started for a ramble of New York.

Two P. M. train for Boston arriving at 7:45

Attest:

*Lamir Hall Masonic Temple
Boston May 5 1922*

Harrie E. Mason

Acting Recorder

*The Commandery resumed business at 12 o'clock M.
Em. Commander Frederick H. Briggs in the East, with the
proper number of Sir Knights present. There being no business
the Commandery was closed at 12-15 o'clock PM
attest Joseph W. Worre Recorder*

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, May 17, 1922

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 4 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The Records of April 8th Conclave and April 19th were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications having reported favorably, upon ballot, the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Herbert James Scott Coles
 Comp. Harry Langdon
 Comp. Wallace Merritt McNaught
 Comp. Charles Stearns McGill *magill*
 Comp. Earl Frank Palmer
 Comp. Edward Moore Shedd
 Comp. Levi Wyman Steward
 Comp. Duane Calif White
 Comp. Arthur Ferdinand Weeks *Fernando*

Release

Upon request of Coeur De Lion Commandery K T of Charlestown District release of jurisdiction was granted over
 Comp. Albert M Kanrich

Petitions

The following petitions for the Orders were read.

Comp. Charles Ferris Bassett
 Residence 8 Irvington st Boston
 Occupation Insurance Auditor Conn
 Place of business 101 Milk st Boston
 Member of Amawon Lodge #115 Joseph Andrews R A Chapter #46
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank D Hanson & Carl H Johnson

Comp. Albert William Barnard
 Residence 61 Blake st Mattapan
 Occupation Estimator
 Place of business 414 Albany st Boston
 Member of Prospect Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights George Butters Jr & Edward C Chase

Comp. Arthur Everett Dorr
 Residence Boston

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Occupation Provisions

Place of business 5 Union st Boston Mass

Member of Mass Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Edward N West & Israel E Decrow

Comp. Charles Doucot

Residence 75 Berkley st Boston

Occupation Chef

Place of business Hotel Brunswick Boston

Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Alexander M Cunningham & Arthur
M. Blades

Comp. Charles Grover Eichenberger

Residence 53 Beach st Wollaston

Occupation Salesman

Place of business 867 Boylston st Boston

Member of Rural Lodge Quincy & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights George H Wood & Joseph W Work

Comp. Malcolm Jenney

Residence 57 Longwood Ave Brookline

Occupation Lawyer

Place of business 918 Tremont Bldg Boston

Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Joseph Miles Kinsman

Residence 33 Delano Ave Point of Pines Revere Mass

Occupation Fur salesman

Place of business 364 Boylston st Boston

Member of Seaview Lodge & Chapter of the Shekinah Chelsea

Recommended Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Winfield Lee
Nourse

Comp. Fred Crawford Macintosh

Residence 208 Huntington Ave Boston

Occupation Relief Committee I O O F

Place of business 515 Tremont st Boston

Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Antonio Di Nozzi

Residence Somerville

Occupation Steward

Place of business Hotel Westminster Boston

Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Edmund S Childs & William A
Humphrey

Comp. Claude Albert Palmer

Residence 8 Hillside Ave Bedford Mass

Occupation Eastern Clay Goods Company

Place of business 73 Tremont st Boston

Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington

Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard & Winfield L

Nourse

Comp. George Edmund Page
 Residence 18 Linden st Brookline
 Occupation Custodian of Gymn and Baths
 Place of business Tappan st Brookline
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight Dennie P Small & Em Sir Frederick
 H. Briggs

Comp. Harry James Osborne
 Residence 68 Winthrop st Winthrop
 Occupation Pres & Treas of Osborne Furniture Co
 Place of business Cor High & Pearl sts Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights James A Parker & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Harry Robinson
 Residence 50 Pinehurst st Roslindale
 Occupation Traffic Manager
 Place of business 300 Summer st Boston
 Member of Aberdour Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston Jr
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Walter EnwrightSeaver
 Residence 1056 Com'lth Ave Boston
 Occupation Hotel Mgr
 Place of business Hotel Lenox
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrew R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M
 Blades

Comp. Kevork Vartan Takvorian
 Residence 53 Dana st Cambridge
 Occupation Druggist
 Place of business 962 Mass Ave Cambridge
 Member of Putnam Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & N. F. Bechtel

Comp. William Edward Tatem
 Residence 237 Princeton st East Boston
 Occupation Accountant
 Place of business Rm 350 North Sta B & M RR
 Member of Baalbec Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & N F Bechtel

Comp. Oscar Warren Waterhouse
 Residence 134 P st South Boston
 Occupation Chief Train Despatcher B & M RR
 Place of business Rm 57 North Sta Boston
 Member of York Lodge #22 Maine & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur N Hale & Wilbert Soule

Comp. Clarence Samuel Waugh
 Residence 14 Hamitlon Rd Brookline
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business 245 State st Boston
 Member of St John Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Starr A Burdick & Joseph W Work

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Comp. Joseph Seelye Weeks
Residence 16 Florida st Dorchester
Occupation Clerk
Place of business Rm 1054 Old South Bldg Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

St Johns Day

It was unanimously voted to celebrate St Johns Day and all arrangements to be left with the Council of the Commandery with full powers.

Dimits

The following Sir Knights being square on the books were granted dimits. Sir Knight Frank E. W. Howe, Sir Knight Edward B Caiger, Sir Knight Charles M Cox, Winslow J Damon, Sir Knight Kennan Damon and Sir Knight Raymond D Willard.

The Commander requested the Generalissimo Sir Knight George T Wiley as a Committee to adjourn to the ante room receive and introduce Em Sir Charles E Hull, Past Commander of St Omer Commandery and Commander of the Fourth Division of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. He also at the same time introduced Em Sir Levi E Smith Past Commander of Ivanhoe Commandery K T of Gardner, Mass. They were received by the Commander and introduced to the Sir Knights present, who gave them a hearty welcome. Em. Sir Herbert F Sawyer, Past Commander of St Omer Commandery was also introduced to the Commander and thru him to the Commandery. Em Sir Edgar W Evans, Past Commander of De Molay Commandery, Em. Sir William R. Milton, Past Commander of De Molay Commandery and Em Sir Oscar C Sargent Past Commander of Coeur De Lion were also introduced.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting, and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall.

Evening Session

The business of the Commandery was opened at 7:35 o'clock P. M. and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon the following Companions, they having been entitled to the same, having taken the 111 Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta, and they were all dubbed and created Knights of the Valant and Magnanimus Order of the Temple, Knight Templars, after which they all signed the By-Laws, became members of Boston Commandery and received their diplomas.

Comp. Ralph Edward Davis
Comp. James Walter Feneley
Comp. Louis Valentine Joyce
Comp. Geln Willis Lawrence
Coop. William Campbell Miles

Comp. Harold Goethe Mitchell
 Comp. John Sherman Myers
 Comp. Nelson John Peabody
 Comp. John Meltiades Stratis
 Comp. Arthur Albert Shafter
 Comp. Blair Andrew Wortman
 Comp. Frederick Rinaldo Butters
 Comp. Frank Lewis Colburn
 Comp. George Ernest Dennett
 Comp. Frederick Samuel Fogg
 Comp. Robert Smith

St John's Day

The Commander requested an expression in regard to the Outing on St Johns Day, June 24th, and by a majority vote it was decided to have one day including the ladies.

Letters

The Commander read letters from the Past Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of the U. S. Joseph K. Orr together with several letters from the different officers of the several confederate organizations expressing their appreciation for the appropriate ceremony in placing the wreath on the Monument of the late General Robert E. Lee.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since the last Conclave.

Sir Knight Charles W Beal
 Knighted January 17, 1872 Died April 24 1922

Sir Knight Adolf S Lundin
 Knighted March 15, 1899 Died April 22, 1922

There being no further business the Commandery closed in Due Form at 10:35 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Wednesday, June 21, 1922.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form
at 10 o'clock A. M. with the regular organization.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Reports of Committees

The reports of the Committees upon the following applications being favorable, upon ballot the same being clear, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Ferris Bassett
Residence 8 Irvington st Boston
Occupation Insurance Auditor
Place of business 101 Milk st Boston
Member of Amawon Lodge #115, Joseph Andrews R A Chapter #46
Conn
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank D. Hanson & Carl H Johnson

Comp. Albert William Barnard
Residence 61 Blake st Mattapan
Occupation Estimator
Place of business 414 Albany st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George Butters Jr & Edward C Chase

Comp. Arthur Everett Dorr
Residence Boston
Occupation Provisions
Place of business 5 Union st Boston
Member of Massachusetts Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Edward N West & Israel E Decrow

Comp. Charles Doucot
Residence 75 Berkley st Boston
Occupation Chef
Place of business Hotel Brunswick Boston
Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Charles Grover Eichenberger
Residence 53 Beach st Wollaston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 867 Boylston st Boston
Member of Rural Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George H Wood & Joseph W. Work

Comp. Malcolm Jenney
 Residence 57 Longwood Ave Brookline
 Occupation Lawyer
 Place of business 918 Tremont Bldg Boston
 Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Fred Crawford Mackintosh
 Residence 208 Huntington Ave Boston
 Occupation Relief Com I O O F
 Place of business 515 Tremont st Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Antonio Di Nozzi
 Residence Somerville
 Occupation Steward
 Place of business Hotel Westminster Boston
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Edmund S Childs & William A Humphreys

Comp. Claude Albert Palmer
 Residence 8 Hillside Ave Medford
 Occupation Eastern Clay Goods Co
 Place of business 73 Tremont st Boston
 Member of Hiram Lodge and Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
 Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard and Winfield L. Nourse

Comp. George Edmund Page
 Residence 18 Linden st Brookline
 Occupation Custodian of Gymnasium and Bath
 Place of business Tappan st Brookline
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs

Comp. Harry James Osborne
 Residence 68 Winthrop st Winthrop
 Occupation President & Treas Osborne Furniture Co
 Place of business Cor High & Pearl sts Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights James A Parker & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Harry Robinson
 Residence 50 Pinehurst st Rislindale
 Occupation Traffic Manager
 Place of business 300 Summer st Boston
 Member of Aberdour Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Walter Enwright Seaver
 Residence 1056 Com'lth Ave Boston
 Occupation Hotel Mgr
 Place of business Hotel Lenox

Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

Comp. Kevork Vartan Takvorian
Residence 53 Dana st Cambridge Mass
Occupation Druggist
Place of business 962 Mass Ave Cambridge Mass
Member of Putnam Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & N F Bechtel

Comp. William Edward Tatem
Residence 237 Princeton st East Boston
Occupation Accountant
Place of business Rm 350 North Sta B & M R R
Member of Baalbec Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson and N F Bechtel

Comp. Oscar Warren Waterhouse
Residence 134 P St South Boston
Occupation Chief Train Dispatcher B & M R R
Place of business Rm 57 North Sta Boston
Member of York Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur N Hale & Wilbert Soule

Comp. Clarence Samuel Waugh
Residence 14 Hamilton Rd Brookline
Occupation Clerk
Place of business 245 State st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Starr A Burdick & Joseph W Work

Comp. Joseph Seelye Weeks
Residence 16 Florida st Dorchester
Occupation Clerk
Place of business Rm 1054 Old South Bldg Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Alex M Cunningham & Arthur M Blades

Nominating Committee

Voted; that a Committee of five be appointed to bring in names for the nomination te of Officers for the ensuing year. at the September meeting, said report of Committee to be enclosed with the notice.of the Annual Meeting.

Conclaves

Voted to omit the Regular Stated Conclave for July and August.

Jewel

Voted to appoint a Committee to procure and present a jewel for the Eminent Commander at the next Stated Conclave.

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the ceremonies was conducted by Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Generalissimo, and the following candidates were introduced, they having been elected to receive the Order.

Comp. Charles Ferris Bassett
 Comp. Albert William Barnard
 Comp. Henry James Scott Coles
 Comp. Arthur Everett Dorr
 Comp. Charles Doucot
 Comp. Malcolm Jenney
 Comp. Harry Langdon
 Comp. Fred Crawford Mackintosh
 Comp. Charles Stearns Magill
 Comp. Wallace Merritt McNaught
 Comp. Antonio di Nozzi
 Comp. Claude Albert Palmer
 Comp. George Edmund Page
 Comp. Earl Frank Palmer
 Comp. Harry James Osborne
 Comp. Harry Robinson
 Comp. Frederick Lawrence
 Robinson
 Comp. Walter Enwright Seaver
 Comp. Edward Moore Shedd
 Comp. Levi Wyman Steward
 Comp. Kevork Vartan Takvorian
 Comp. William Edward Tatem
 Comp. Oscar Warren Waterhouse
 Comp. Clarence Samuel Waugh
 Comp. Arthur Fernando Weeks
 Comp. Joseph Deelye Weeks
 Comp. Duane Calef White

Order of Malta

A Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been closed a priory of the Order of the Malta was opened and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Captain General, and the above named Companions were introduced and received the Order.

Order of the Temple

The Priory having been closed, the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple, and the above named Companions with Companion Josiah Kirkwood Craig and Companion Roy Lorne Westcott was introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them in Full Form.

Luncheon

The Commander announced that a luncheon was in waiting and the Officers and members and candidates present were conducted to the banquet hall.

Afternoon Session

The business of the Commandery was resumed at 2:30 o'clock P. M. when the Officers introduced twenty-nine Knights of the Order of Malta and concluded the ceremonies of the Order of the Temple.

The following named Companions were all dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple, Knight Tempars after which they all signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery, and their diplomas were forwarded by mail.

Comp. Charles Ferris Bassett
Comp. Albert William Barnard
Comp. Henry James Scott Coles
Comp. Arthur Everett Dorr
Comp. Charles Doucot
Comp. Malcolm Jenney
Comp. Harry Langdon
Comp. Fred Crawford Mackintosh
Comp. Charles Stearns Magill
Comp. Wallace Merritt McNaught
Comp. Antonio di Nozzi
Comp. Claude Albert Palmer
Comp. George Edmund Page
Comp. Earl Frank Palmer
Comp. Harry James Osborne
Comp. Harry Robinson
Comp. Frederick Lawrence Robinson
Comp. Walter Enwright Seaver
Comp. Edward Moore Shedd
Comp. Levi Wyman Steward
Comp. Kevork Vartan Takvorian
Comp. William Edward Tatem
Comp. Oscar Warren Waterhouse
Comp. Clarence Samuel Waugh
Comp. Arthur Fernando Weeks
Comp. Joseph Seelye Weeks
Comp. Duane Calef White
Comp. Josiah Kirkwood Craig
Comp. Roy Lorne Westcott

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Members and guests marched to the banquet hall and passed an agreeable hour.

Evening Session

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:15 o'clock P. M.

The Commandery was opened in Full Form on the Order of the Temple for the inspecting Officers.

Inspection

Announcement was made that Em Sir John F Clark, Grand Warder, was in waiting, and upon his reception he announced that R. Em. Sir Henry C. Dexter was in an adjourning apartment for the purpose of visiting Boston Commandery to inspect the work.

A Committee was appointed consisting of all of the Past Commanders under the chairmanship of the Generalissimo Sir Knight George T. Wiley who presented the R. Em. Grand Commander of Massachusetts & Rhode Island, and forty-three Eminent Commanders and Officers of other Commanderies as his suite.

Commander Briggs cordially received the Grand Commander and expressed to him the pleasure it gave him to have him as his inspecting officer.

The Grand Commander after thanking Commander Briggs for his cordial reception introduced his suite, and the Commandery was presided over by the Grand Commander in the East, and his suite were given seats.

Work

The Grand Commander gave up the chair to Commander Briggs and the ceremonies of the Order of the Temple was exemplified by the Officers of the Commandery.

The Inspecting Officer after examining the charter, Records, Constitution and By-Laws together the Ritual directed the Grand Warder to make the official count.

The Commandery having been formed in line, and all uniformed Knights rising, the Grand Warder announced the	
whole number in uniform	238
Members not in uniform	0
Visitors in uniform	23
Visitors not in uniform	9
Total	270

Inspecting officers suite	44
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Letter from President Warren G. Harding

The White House
Washington, D. C.

June 15, 1922

My dear Commander Briggs:

Senator Lodge has conveyed to me the contents of your letter to him written under date of June 9th. I have already wired to Mr. Foss the impossibility of my coming to Boston for the Annual Commencement at

Harvard. Under these circumstances it will be impossible of course, to be present at the proposed inspection of the Grand Commandery. I should like you to know that it would be a very great pleasure to me to meet and greet the Knights Templars of Boston Commandery and the Metropolitan District, but I do not see how such an engagement is going to be possible in the immediate future. The unavoidable delay of many difficult problems under consideration by the Congress has made it necessary for me to modify my plans for the summer period immediately before us, and I can not be certain about any travel engagements at the present time. I regret the impossibility of my witnessing the inspection of Boston Commandery, but shall not wholly put aside the hope of some day having that very great satisfaction. I have said that substance of the above to Senator Lodge, who has been more than an enthusiastic Knight in presenting to me the attractiveness of such a meeting, and impressing upon me the desirability of knowing the membership of Boston Commandery.

Very truly yours,

Warren G. Harding

Commander Frederick H. Briggs
18 Boylston st., Boston, Mass.

Right Eminent Grand Commander

Commander Briggs called upon R. Em. Sir Henry C. Dexter who complimented the Officers and Sir Knights for their appearance and excellent work, and expressed his pleasure in having an opportunity to inspect Boston Commandery and meet the Officers and Sir Knights.

Inspection Officer

R. Em. Sir Frederick I. Dana, instructor, not being able to be present, Em. Sir Asa C. Jewett Grand Captain General of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island acted in his stead, and after complimenting the Commandery in regard to the work announced that the marks for the Commandery would be 90- .

Retiring Suite

R. Em. Sir Henry C. Dexter having finished the inspection of the Commandery announced to the Commander that he and his suite would retire. The same Committee was appointed to escort Grand Commander Dexter and his suite to the apartments.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

A true record

Attest:

Joseph W. Works

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall Masonic Temple Boston, Mass.

Wednesday September 20, 1922

One Hundred and Seventeenth Annual Conclave.

Members Meeting

A Commandery of Knight Tamplars was opened in Due Form at 5:30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Petition

The petition of Comp. Alfred William Yale of Wollaston, Mass., not being in form on account of release of jurisdiction not having been granted, disposition of the same was referred to the next Conclave.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Walter H. Haynes Knighted April 21, 1909
Died August 2, 1922

Sir Knight Murray Ballou Knighted June 21, 1916
Died July 7, 1922

Golf Challenge

The Commander announced that the challenge from Hugh de Payens Commandery and Boston Commandery took place at the Winchester Country Club on September 7th, and the cup was won by the Boston Commandery team, and is now in possession of the Commandery and on exhibition at their Armory.

Columbus Day Outing

It was voted that the Commandery have an Outing on Columbus Day, October 12, 1922, at Marshfield, Mass., and the Council was given full powers to make all arrangements.

Armorer

It was unanimously voted to increase the salary of the Armorer from 300 to \$500.00 per annum.

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Leon Lewis Aznive Res. 18 Ballou Place Dorchester
Occupation Photo Engraver
Place of business 244 Washington st Boston
Member of Zetland Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights George H Witt & Joseph W Eork

Comp. Albert May Aznive Res 18 Ballou Place Dorchester
Occupation Photo Engraver
Place of business 145 High st Boston
Member of Zetland Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights George H Witt & Joseph W Work

Comp. Edwin Gasper Andrews Res. 405 Marlboro st Boston
Occupation Salesman of shoes
Place of business 42 Lincoln st Boston
Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George T Wiley & Elmer C Read.

Comp. Roland Douglas Crook Res. 157 A Huntington Ave Boston
Occupation Plumber
Place of business 66 B Huntington Ave Boston
Member of Mass Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommendee by Sir Knights William P Bullard & Joseph W Work

Comp. Bertell G. Carlson Res. 147 Ashmont st Dorchester
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 1318 Beacon st Brookline
Member of Beth-Horen Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Edmund S Child & William H Humphrey

Comp. William Edgar Gould 64 Hillsdale Rd Medford
Occupation salesman
Place of business 62 Gorham st Somerville
Member of Palestine Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry A Bonelli & Joseph W Work

Comp. Frank Leslie Gormely 250 Clark Rd Brookline
Occupation Vice-President
Place of business 440 Brookline Ave Roxbury
Member of Brookline Lodge & St Paul R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frederick H Briggs & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. William Frederick Graybert 46 Monponset st Boston
Occupation Photo Engtaver
Place of business 147 Summer st Boston
Member of Eliot Lodge & St Paul R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank O Clark & John A McFarland

Comp. Louis Edgar Green 8 Farrar st Lynn Mass
Occupation Clerk
Place of business 69 Devonshire st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur M Blades & Francis W Breed Jr

Permanent Fund

Am Tel & Tel Co Colltl Trust 4s	July 1, 1929	5000	200
Atch Top & S Fe RR Gen Mtg Gold 4s	Oct 1 1995	10000	400
Balt & Ohio R R 1st Mtg Gold 4s	July 1 1948	3000	120
Boston Elevated Ry Co Gold 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Nov 1 1941	5000	225
B & A Imp Bond of 1908 4s	May 1 1933	4000	160
B & M RR Co 4s	Sep 1 1926	1000	40
" 10 year Mtg Ser F 6s	June 1 1930	2500	150
Chic Bur & Quin RR Neb Ex M 4s	May 1 1927	3000	27.33
" Rock Island & Pac Ry Co 1st			
& Ref Mtg Gold 4s	Apr 1 1934	2000	80
Denver & Rio Grande RRCo 1st			
Cono Mtg Gold 4s	Jan 1 1936	3000	120
Eastn Mass St Ry Co Ref Mtg Series			
A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Jan 1 1948	2000	157.50
" " "	" "	100	12.75
Edison Elec Ill Co of Boston 3			
years Gold Notes 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Jan 15 1925	2000	47.67
Lake Shore & Mich So Ry 25 years			
Gold Deb 4s	Sept 1 1928	4000	160
N Y Cent RRCo 20 year Con Gold			
Del Issue 1915-5s	May 1 1935	3000	41
N Y Tel Co 1st & Gen Mtg Gold			
S F 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Nov 1 1939	2000	20.50
No Pac Ry Co Prior Lien & Land			
Grant Gold 4s	Jan 1 1997	2000	31.56
Ore & Wash R R & Nar Co 1st			
& Ref Mtg Series A 4s	Jan 1 1961	2000	30.00
Penn R R Co Cons Mtg May 1 1908 4s	May 1 1948	2000	17.11
Reading Co & Phil & Reading Coal			
& Iron Co Gen Mtg 4s	Jan 1 1997	3000	120.
Union Pac R R Co 20 year Con Gold 4s	July 1 1927	2000	31.56
U S 1st Con Liberties 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	June 15 1947	4000	170
" 3rd " 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Sept 15 1928	2000	85
" 4th " 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s	Oct 15 1938	2500	106.25
" 5th Victorys 43/4	May 20 1923	2000	95.00
Upper Coos RR Co 4s	May 1 1930	2000	80
W U Tel Co Colltl Trust 5s	Jan 1 1938	2000	39.30
C B & a Bonds due Feb 1 1922			
2000 paid			40.00
Boston Penny Savings Bank Bk 834.76			1666.52 76.40
International Tr Co Dorchester Bk 995			3324.12 97.33
Medford Sav Bank " 6456			2539.93 110.54
Cash on Deposit in International			
Trust Co			5708.13 180.09
Bere Marquette R R Co Common stock 53 shs			
" " Scrip 78			

Total of Fund August 31, 1922 90338.70 3271.89

Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

	Date due	Val	In
Am T & T Co 30 year Coll Tr 5s	Dec 1, 1946	2000	31.11
N Y Cen R R Co 20 year Conv			
Gold Deb Issue 1915 6s	May 1 1935	2000	27.33
U S Treas Notes series A 43/4s	Mar 15 1925	1000	
Boston Penny Sav Bank Bk 148394		137.64	.20
Total of Fund Aug 31 1922		5137.64	58.64

Charity Fund

Boston Penny Savings Bank	Bk 891.62	449.90	20.63
Brighton Five Cents Sav Bk	" 191.86	117.33	5.03
Canbridge Sav Bank	" 563.44	1630.84	78.58
Charlestown Five Cent	" 76292	1639.18	78.97
Chelsea Sav Bank	" 73245	1631.14	78.53
Dorchester "	" 13309	1282.88	55.83
East Boston "	" 68753	1619.57	78.03
Home "	" 129411	1580.20	68.76
Malden "	" 51648	1376.36	66.30
Malden Trust Co Sav Dept	" 2618	24.86	29.12
Warren Ins for savings	" 86250	1498.22	65.20

Total of Fund August 31, 1922

12850.48 625.08

Report of the Finance Committee of Boston Commandery

Boston, September 20, 1922

Your Finance Committee have examined the accounts of the Commandery and find that the Treasurer has received during the year \$29704.90. He has paid out for the running of the Commandery \$23304.06; for 10% of the receipts, which by the By-Laws must be paid into the Permanent Fund, \$1523.34; for Life Membership, \$1200.00; making the total disbursements \$26027.40, leaving a balance in the treasury of \$3677.50.

The Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund totals \$5137.64. The General Charity Fund Totals \$12850.48 and the Permanent Fund totals \$90338.70, making the total assets in money & Sec. \$112004.32

They also find that there is a large amount of dues still in arrears, undoubtedly due to the extremely hard times which have existed during the year. The Recorder is making every effort to collect these back dues and will no doubt collect a large part of them. It has been the policy of the Council in the past to cancel the dues of such members as are infirm and unable to meet their obligations. Such policy is and will be continued by the present council.

- Comp. George Garden 111 Florence st Melrose
Occupation Conducotr
Place of Business B & M RR
Member of Soley Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur N Hale & Francis W Breed Jr
- Comp. Howard Anderson Mitchell 1822 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Insurance Broker
Place of business 176 Federal st Boston
Member of Wayfarers Lodge Swampscott & Swampscott R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles M Porter & George T Wiley
- Comp. Louis James Marie 15 Mansfield st Allston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 15 Mansfield st Allston
Member of St John Lodge & St Paul R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Charles H Farnham
- Comp Samuel Francis Orth 174 Harvard st Brookline
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 42 Franklin st Boston
Member of Joppa Lodge #608 Penn & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Edward C Chase
- Comp. Charles W Rowell 8 Strathmore Rd Brookline
Occupation Real Estate
Place of business 30 State st Boston
Member of Mt Olivet Lodge Cambridge Dorchester R A Chapter
Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard & William M Beach
- Comp. Dane Sheehan Cambridge Hospital
Occupation Nurse
Place of business Cambridge Hospital
Member of Amicable Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Charles E Eaton & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs.
- Comp. Frank Lighton Warren 59 Maxwell st Dorchester
Occupation Probation Officer
Place of business Court House Boston
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight George T Wiley
- Comp. Alfred William Yale 55 Beach st Wollaston
Occupation Traveling salesman
Place of business 52 Chauncy st Boston
Member of Washington Lodge & Wollaston R A Chapter Wollaston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight George H Wood

Membership

Sir Knight Waldo Sewall Plastridge
Occupation Real Estate
Place of business 28 Ashland st Medford Mass
Member of Mt Hermon & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Trinity Commandery of Manchester N. H.
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Walker Jr & Frank A Walker

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Sir Knight Harold C Spencer being square on the books, was
voted a dimit from Boston Commandery.

Annual Reports

Armorer

The paraphernalia of Boston Commandery K. T. is as
recorded in the registration book.

Signed

Josiah T Dyer

Armorer

Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Cash on Hand

Bal Sept 1 1921

Receipts

9669.31

Income as per list

3271.89

Commandery 10%

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1523.34

Samuel C Lawrence legacy

10000.00

C & B 2 Bonds Paid

2000.00

127664.54

Payments

2000 Edison Elect 5 $\frac{1}{2}$

1987.50

2000 N Y Tel 4 $\frac{1}{2}$

1808.00

3000 N Y Ctl Deb 6

2989.50

3000 C B & a Neb 4

2867.00

2000 Nor Pac 4

1698.00

2000 Un Pac Cen 4

1843.00

2000 Western Un 5

1856.75

2000 Penn RR 4

1780.50

2000 Oregon Wash 4

1570.00

Inter Tr Co Sav Dept

97.33

Medford Sav Bank

110.54

Boston Penny Sav Bank

76.40

Commandery Income

3271.89

21956.41

Balance Aug 31, 1922

5708.13

We have at the present time 285 Life Members, 990 paying members, 9 honorary members, and 7 Life and Honorary members, making a total of 1291.

The income from the Charity Fund has been expended in practically its entirety for the charity of the Commandery. The income from the Permanent Fund, \$3271.89, has been turned over for the general use of the Commandery. It is a matter of much interest to notice that all Life Memberships are paid into the permanent Fund, the income from these being paid back to the Commandery. Although we have only 285 Life Members, we get as much income from the Permanent Fund as we would had we ~~would had we~~ 500 additional paying members. In other words, the permanent fund gives us the benefit of what would be 500 members without any additional expense to the Commandery. It is undoubtedly a fact that if we did not have this permanent fund it would be necessary to make a very drastic advance in dues. Probably our dues would have to be advanced to between \$12.00 and \$15.00 per year if we did not have the income which we annually derive from this permanent fund.

The finance committee would like to call your attention to the fact that at the Triennial Conclave at New Orleans it was voted to tax every Knight Templar \$1.00 per year for educational purposes. This tax will probably be levied on us sometime within a year and it will be necessary for us to provide means for meeting it.

Your finance committee would also like to call your attention to the fact that the dues of Boston Commandery are considerably lower than those of other sister Commanderies in the Temple. The dues of one of our sister Commanderies is \$25.00 a year. Another is charging \$10.00 per year and has this year put on an additional assessment of \$15.00 per member to be paid in two yearly installments of \$7.50 per year, making the dues \$17.50 p r year which is compared with \$8.00 a year charged by Boston Commandery. Should the number of candidates be materially reduced to the numbers which were taken in yearly a few years ago, it would be impossible for the Commandery to meet its expenses on the present dues, provided, of course, that the expenses run as much as they have been running for the past few years. The discrepancy between our charges and those of our sister Commanderies is so great that the Finance Committee want to call your special attention and careful consideration to our future financiering.

During the year we have had the usual tem meetings at which dinners have been provided. As has been the custom in the past, these dinners have been provided at a loss to the Commandery, the charge being much less than the Commandery has been charged by the caterers.

Your committee also wishes to report that the Commandery this year has held a barbecue, a Templar Ball, has carried

their banners and visited three foreign countries, namely, the English Island of Jamaica, the Republic of Panama, and the Republic of Cuba. They have also visited the Isthmus of Panama and the Triennial Conclave at New Orleans at all of which places the high standard and reputation of the Commandery has been upheld in a dignified manner. They have also made Templar history for they have not only conferred the Order of the Temple on the high seas for the first time that it has ever been conferred on the high seas in history, but they have also conferred the Order of Red Cross and the Order of Malta for the first time they have ever been conferred upon the high seas. They have produced the Passion in its entirety at a regular meeting, and have also held a series of three Commandery dances, and celebrated St John's Day with an Outing. They have entertained at their meetings the Masonic Club of Boston, the members of the Legislature of Massachusetts who were Templars, and many other distinguished officers of the Order. They were officially visited in New Orleans by the Most Eminent Grand Master of Knights Templars of U. S. of America together with his entire suite of officers, including the present Most Eminent Grand Master of the U. S. of America. They have been received and entertained by Canal Zone Commandery #1, by Havana Commandery #1, under dispensation, and have been received and visited by Governors and high officials at these places.

The Annual Inspection of Boston Commandery was most successful. The Right Eminent Grand Commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island specially honored the Commandery by himself acting as Inspecting Officer, something that no other Right Eminent Grand Commander has done since the present mode of Inspection has been in vogue.

The Golf Team organized by your Commandery has won the blue ribbon of Commandery golf and is at present ready to defend it. In addition to this, the Boston Commandery Band has been organized and has added much to the pleasure of our meetings. The Commandery parlors and the officers rooms have also been refinished and redecorated.

The Committee wishes to call your attention to the extremely good work that has been by the officers, guards and members of Boston Commandery during this year. It is probably not known that Sir Knight Hall and Sir Knight Wood are giving up many days of hard and not over pleasant labor in preparing for the meetings of this Commandery and also cleaning up after the meetings are through. Sir Knight Hall gets no compensation whatever for his labors, nor does he desire any. Sir Knight Wood gets but a very meagre compensation and he gives back to the Commandery in one way or another as much and more than he receives. It is a labor of love with both of them, and your committee feel that you should know of the love and labor which these two men are very freely giving to us without any expectation or desire for adequate compensation other than what comes from duty well performed.

Respectfully submitted

Frederick H Briggs
George T Wiley
Frank O Clark

Report of the Treasurer of Boston Commandery

Sept. 20, 1922.

Receipts

Balance Sept 1, 1921		1747.78
International Trust Co Int on Bal		51.36
Trustees Permanent Fund Inc		3271.89
Joseph W Work, Recorder		
Orders	8625.00	
Membership	150.00	
Life Membership	1200.00	
Annual Dues	6983.43	
Regalias	5570.80	
Dinners	1146.00	
Lockers	910.00	
Traveling cards	3.50	
Piano	18.50	
Int on Bank Bal	26.64	24633.87
		<u>29704.90</u>

Payments

Past Commander's jewel	493.50
" " sword	175.00
Sword Bearer's Jewel	38.85
Rent	4295.00
Grand Commandery	1205.50
Paraphenialia etc	133.50
Flowers at meetings, sickness etc	28.00
Insurance	209.61
Repairing clock	6.00
" rug	10.50
" chair	13.50
Rent pianos	69.00
Storage records	5.00
" regalias	48.00
Safe Dep Box	10.00
Repairing curtains	4.50
Present T. M. Carter	25.00
Regalias	6875.90
Return fees	775.00
Copying pictures	4.50
Printing postage etc	2117.88
Cigars	568.00
Collations	3569.50
Commissary	50.00
Music at meetings	163.00
New Orleans Pilgrimage	
Pester	25.00

Drills	37.71	
Picture	<u>4.12</u>	66.83
 <u>Sentinel</u>		
Salary	70.00	
Assistance	<u>4.00</u>	74.00
 <u>Armorer</u>		
Salary	300.00	
Meetings	50.00	
Telephone	27.00	
Assistance	12.00	
Repairing Par.	3.50	
Sundries	<u>22.61</u>	415.11
 <u>Recorder</u>		
Salary	500.00	
Rent	84.00	
Telephone	24.00	
Traveling cards	3.00	
Demits	1.00	
Diplomas	<u>61.00</u>	673.00
 <u>Band</u>		
Gas & Fiatures	7.65	
Instruments	<u>117.10</u>	124.75
 <u>Sundries</u>		
Ascension Sunday		
Candy	5.60	
Printing Program	<u>58.50</u>	64.10
 <u>Entertainment at meetings</u>		
Copies of Hymn and Music	36.00	
Talent	93.00	
Piano	10.00	
Moving Pictures	<u>33.95</u>	172.95
 <u>Ball Cadet Armory</u>		
Palms	36.00	
Lights (Red Cross etc)	41.70	
Pictures	60.00	
Framing pictures	<u>61.00</u>	198.70
 <u>St John Days</u>		
Printing	92.25	
Tags	13.75	
Point Shirley Club	68.53	
Sundries	<u>9.05</u>	183.58
 <u>Funerals</u>		
Flowers	250.70	
Music	105.00	
Autos	18.00	
Armorer	25.00	
Death notices	<u>24.75</u>	423.45

Total payments	23304.06
Trustees Permanent Fund	
10% receipts	1523.34
Life Membership	1200.00
	<u>26027.40</u>

Balance Aug. 31, 22	
	3677.50
	<u>29704.90</u>

Charity Fund Cash Account

Received from Income from securities	625.08
Paid out per sundry items	610.46
Added to the principal of the Charity Fund	<u>14.62</u>

Reports

The reports of the Recorder, Armorer, Trustees of the Permanent Fund, Charity Fund and the Samuel C. Lawrence Charity Fund were by vote of the Commandery accepted and directed to be filed with the records.

Boston Commandery K T

Boston, September 20, 1922.

To the Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston
Commandery K. T.

Your Recorder hands herewith his Annual Report.

Number of Members on hand September 21, 1921	1220	
Admitted during the year	111	
Affiliated from other Commanderies	<u>3</u>	1334
Number dimitted during the year	11	
" died	<u>32</u>	43
Present number of members		<u>1291</u>

Membership is as follows

Sept. 21, 1921, Life	285	
Made during the year	<u>10</u>	
	295	
Died during the year	<u>10</u>	
Total		285
Honorary Life	7	
Honorary	9	
Paying members	<u>99.0</u>	
Total		1291

Dimitted during the year

Ossian H. Brock	Sept. 21, 1921
Edwin Prescott	" " "
Edward B. Caiger	May 17 1922
Charles McL Cox	May 17 1922
Kennan Damon	May 17 1922
Winslow J. Damon	May 17 1922
Frank E. W. Howe	May 17 "
William T. H. Salter	Mar 15 "
Raymond D Willard	May 17 "
Fred A. Yeaton	Mar 15 "
Fred G Phillips	May 17 "

Deaths

Jacob Karcher Jr	June	1921
Fletcher Orpin	July 25	"
George Stedman	Aug 8	"
Robert J. Crooks	Aug 15	"
James A Wallon	Aug 14	"
Adolph L. Altmeyer	Sept 9	"
Edwin G. Ramsey	Sept 25	"
John W Brackett	Oct 3	"

William F. Johnson	Oct 5 1921
Fred H Leavitt	Oct 29 "
Clarence B Mitchell	Oct 2 "
Charles A Stewart	Nov 8 "
Rosewell B Lawrence L	Nov 21 "
Alexander Montgomery	Dec 24 "
Albert C Ashton	Feb 1922
Robert W Browning	" 10 "
Joseph Gridley	" 10 "
William E Patenaude	Mar 17 "
Charles H Bradley	Jan 30 "
Horace B Plumer	Apr 5 "
Adolph S Lundin L	Apr 22 "
Charles U Beals	Apr 24 "
Robert E Turner	" 5 "
William B Hubbard L	May 2 "
Erastus B Colby L	" 19 "
Rinaldo B Richardson L & H	Nov 19 " 1921
John S Twombly L	June 16 "
Walter B. Ellis L	" 3 "
Henry Hale	" 4 "
Russell J. Huntley	" 17 "
David A McDonald L	July 1921
Hamelcar Rice	Feb 29 1920

Your Recorder has received during the year

For dues	6983.43	
" Orders	8625.00	
" Regalia	5570.80	
" Life Membership	1200.00	
" Membership	150.00	
" Dinners	1146.00	
" Cases	759.00	
" Traveling Cards	3.50	
" Rent of Piano	18.50	
" Interest on acct	26.64	
Total		24,482.87

Paid to the Treasurer

Herbert A Rhoades	24,482.87
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Report of Nominating Committee

On Boston Commandery Sept. 20, 1922

Eminent Commander & Sir Knights:-

Your Committee appointed to nominate officers for the ensuing year have attended to that duty and report as follows:-

For Eminent Commander	Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs
" Generalissimo	Sir George T Wiley
" Capt. General	Sir Frank O. Clark

For Senior Warden	Sir Charles L Hamilton
" Junior Warden	Sir William P Bullard
" Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
" Treasurer	Sir Herbert A Rhoades
" Recorder	Sir Joseph W. Work
" Trustee for the Permanant & Charity Funds for 3 years	

Em Sir Joseph T Paul

Courteously submitted

Eugene A Holton	
Jesse E Ames	
Winfield L. Nourse	Committee
Walter B. Tripp	
Elmer C Reed	

The report of the Nominating Committee was accepted and was ordered to proceed to ballot on the nominations made by the Committee.

A Committee was appointed to distribute, collect and count ballots for Commander for the ensuing year, and they reported that the whole number of ballots was 145 all of which was for Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs.

Very Em. Sir James S. Blake presiding at the election of the officers appointed all the Past Commanders of Boston Commandery as a Committee under the escort of the Generalissimo to repair to the ante room and present Em Sir Briggs in the East where he in a very affable manner reported his unanimous election.

Commander Briggs responded in a hearty manner thanking the Commandery for their continued confidence and assured them that he would perform the duties to the best of his ability.

Election of the remaining officers.

It was unanimously voted that Em Sir Jesse E Ames cast one vote for the following remaining officers to serve for the ensuing year, namely,

For Generalissimo	Sir George T Wiley
Capt General	Sir Frank O Clark
Senior Warden	Sir Charles L Hamilton
Junior Warden	Sir William P Bullard
Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
Treasurer	Sir Herbert A Rhoades
Recorder	Sir Joseph W Work
Trustee for the Permanent & Charity Fund for Three years	Em. Sir Joseph T Paul.

At this time V. Em. Sir James S. Blake presented Commander Briggs in behalf of the Commandery a Past Commanders Jewel. Em Sir Briggs thanked the Commandery for the beautiful remembrance also V Em Sir Blake for his very kind and agreeable remarks.

Installation of Officers

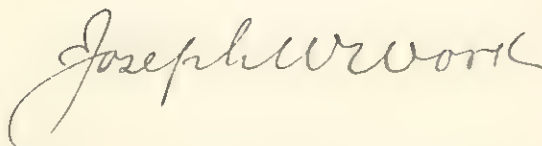
V. Em. Sir James S Blake Deputy Grand Commander of Mass. & Rhode Island assisted by Em. Sir Jesse E Ames as Deputy Grand Warder installed the officers as elected and appointed of Boston Commandery, and proclaimed them duly installed in their respective stations, and the Commandery is now ready for business.

Em. Commander Briggs thanked V Em Sir James S Blake and Em. Sir Jesse E Ames for their concise and perfect manner in which the officers were installed.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Innie Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday October 18, 1922.

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 5 :30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Ballotting

The Committees upon the following Companions having reported favorably and upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Companion Edwin Gasper Andrews

Comp. Roland Douglas Crook

Comp. Bertel G. Carlson

Comp. William Edgar Gould

Comp. Frank Leslie Gormley

Comp. William Frederick Grabert

Comp. George Garden

Comp. Howard Anderson Mitchell

Comp. Lewis James Marie

Comp. Samuel Francis Orth

Comp. Charles W. Rowell

Comp. Frank Leighton Warren

Comp. Alfred William Yale

Membership

Sir Knight Waldo Sewall Plastraide

Committees

The Committees on Companions Leon Lewis Aznive and Comp. Albert May Aznive ask for further time.

The petition of Lewis Edgar Green of Lynn, Mass. was laid over until the next Conclave on account of the release of jurisdiction not being granted, at this meeting.

Havana, Cuba.

The Commandery was honored by the presence of one of its members who very seldom appeared at our Conclave, Sir Knight Christian F. Koop, a resident of Cuba and the Sir Knight who gave Boston Commandery his time and money and influence on the occasion of the Commanderies visit to Havana. Through his energies he was able to introduce

the Officers and Sir Knights to the Officials of Havana, and the Officers and Sir Knights of the Havana Commandery No. 1.

Havana Commandery No. 1. Havana, Cuba.

Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs presented to Sir Knight Koop the skull to be delivered to the Commander of Havana Commandery No 1 as a remembrance of the pleasant visit that the Commandery had while at Havana with the Greetings of Boston Commandery.

Golf

The Commander announced that a challenge for the Golf Cup was received Pilgrim Commandery of Lowell, Mass. and the time and place would be designated later.

Deaths

The Commander announced that since our last Conclave there has been no report of deaths in the Commandery.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the dinner was in waiting and the officers, Sir Knights and Guests Marched to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed an hour.

Evening Session

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Visitors

The Commander requested the Generalissimo Sir Knight George T. Wiley, with escort to repair to the ante room there to receive and present the Officers and Guards of St Alban Commandery of Portland, Maine, and they were received by the Commander, and the Sir Knights, and the Eminent Commander Frank W. Richardson, in behalf of St Alban Commandery responded to the introduction and thanked the Officers and Sir Knights for an enjoyable day.

Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple, and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Generalissimo.

The following Companions were introduced and received the Orders,

Comp. Edwin Gasper Andrews
Comp. Roland Douglas Cook
Comp. Bertel Gustave Carlson
Comp. Frank Leslie Gormley
Comp. William Frederick Grabert

Comp. Howard Anderson Mitchell
Comp. George Garden
Comp. Lewis James Marie
Comp. Samuel Francis Orth
Comp. Charles Warren Rowell
Comp. Charles Grover Eichenberger

The Officers of Boston Commandery were assisted by the Officers of St Alban Commandery of Portland in communicating the Order.

Order of Malta

A Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was closed, and a priory of the Order of Malta was duly opened. The ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Captain General.

The above named Companions received the Order of Malta.

Closing

There being no further business the priory was closed, at 10:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Monday, November 19, 1922

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 7 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

Work Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and received the Order of the Temple.

Comp. Edwin Gasper Andrews
Comp. Roland Douglas Crook
Comp. Bertel Gustave Carlson
Comp. Frank Leslie Gormley
Comp. George Garden
Comp. Howard Anderson Mitchell
Comp. Lewis James Marie
Comp. Samuel Francis Orth
Comp. Charles Warren Rowell
Comp. Frank Leighton Warren
Comp. Charles Grover Eichenberger

Closing

There being no further business to be transacted at the Special Conclave the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 10:50 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall Masonic Temple

Boston, Mass. Wednesday, November 15, 1922.

Regular Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 3:30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

Records

The records of the regular Conclave of October 1922 and the Special Conclave of November 13th, 1922, were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorably, and upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Leon Louis Aznive
 Comp. Albert May Aznive
 Comp. Harold Bryant Barney
 Comp. Carl Harry Beasler
 Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach
 Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach Jr
 Comp. Louis Edgar Greene
 Comp. Wilbur George Hutchins
 Comp. Willis Edgar Whittemore

For Membership

Sir Knight John Emery Campbell

Report

The Committee on Companion Dane Sheehan asked for further time.

The following petitions were read.

x Comp. Wilmont Marvin Carlton
 Residence 51 Warwick Rd Belmont
 Occupation manager
 Place of business 61 Harvey st North Cambridge
 Member of Amicable Lodge Cambridge
 Recommended by Sir Knights E. F. Palmer & Harold W Martin

x Comp. Benjamin F Chamberlain
 Residence 184 Harvard st Dorchester
 Occupation Mfg Shoe goods
 Place of business 184 Summer st Boston
 Member of Orient Lodge & Hebron R A Chapter Norwood
 Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse

and William P Bullard

+ Comp. John William Downs
Residence 12 Cleveland st Arlington
Occupation Insurance Broker
Place of business 79 Milk st Boston
Member of Somerville Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight George P Page & Em Sir Frederick
H Briggs.

+ Comp. Roscoe L Davidson
Residence 94 Naples Rd Brookline
Occupation Real Estate
Place of business 94 Naples Rd Brookline
Member of Mass Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold Martin & Charles A Watts

+ Comp. Charles M Hemenway
Residence 15 Church st Framingham Ctr
Occupation Bond dealer
Place of business 24 Federal st Boston
Member of Middlesex Lodge & Concord R A Chapter Framingham
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Bartlett & Joseph W Work

+ Comp. Grover Cleveland Hoyt
Residence 320 Ashmont st Dorchester
Occupation News writer
Place of business State House Boston
Member of Faith Lodge Charlestown & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight George P Page & Em Sir Frederick
H Briggs

X Comp. Nelson Towle Libby
Residence 164 Gardner Rd Brookline
Occupation salesman
Place of business 67 Chauncy st Boston
Member of Beth Horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter
Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse & Em Sir
Frederick H Briggs

+ Comp. Joseph Walter Peidmore
Residence 217 Newbury st Boston
Occupation Lumber salesman
Place of business Springfield Mass
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold W Martin & Joseph W Work

Comp. Dane Sheehan
Residence 330 Mt Auburn st Cambridge
Occupation Registered Male Nurse
Place of business 330 Mt Auburn st Cambridge
Member of Amiable Lodge Cambridge & St Pauls R A Chapter
Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Charles E Eaton & Em Sir Frederick
H Briggs

* Comp. Arnold Gustaf Learned Smith
 Residence 911 Broadway W Somerville
 Occupation Sheet Metal Work Contractor
 Place of business 166 First st Cambridge
 Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
 Recommended by Sir Knights Louis F Miller & Axel Magnusson

* Comp. Philip Holt Tukesbury
 Residence 15 Millwood st Dorchester
 Occupation salesman
 Place of business 53 State st Boston Parkinson & Burr
 Member of St John Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knight Chester A Baker & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

For Membership

Sir Knight Frank E Shepard
 Residence 474 Mass Ave Boston
 Occupation Landlord
 Place of business 474 Mass Ave Boston
 Member of Hartford Lodge Conn #88 Pythagoras R A Chapter
 #17 Conn Clarke Com #7 of Waterbury Conn
 Recommended by Sir Knight Dennie P Small & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Ladies Night

Sir Knight Frank O Clark, Captain General, moved that a Ladies night be held on December 30th, 1922, and that the Council have full powers to make all necessary arrangements. Capt. General Clark also moved that the Commandery visit Canada on January 24th, 1923, and that the Council have full powers to make all arrangements.

Work (Order of the Temple)

Comp. William Frederick Graybert having received the Order of the Red Cross and Malta was introduced, and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon him to the fifth libation.

Dinner

The Commander announced the regular dinner was ready, and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall, and enjoyed an hour of sociability.

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 8 o'clock P. M.

Reception to the Grand Commander

Eminent Sir Jesse E Ames Grand Warder of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island announced that the Right Eminent Grand Commander James Stone Blake was in waiting to be received by the Commandery. The Commander Frederick H Briggs directed the acting Generalissimo, Eminent

Sir Joseph T Paul with a Committee comprising all the Past Commanders of Boston Commandery with the proper escort to wait upon and introduce Grand Commander Blake.

Upon the entrance of the said Committee and the Grand Commander the Officers and Sir Knights gave him a royal welcome, and he was received in a cordial and hearty manner by Eminent Commander Briggs, and introduced to the Commandery as the Commandery's "Jimmie".

The Right Eminent Commander Blake in a very affable manner acknowledged the hearty reception of his Commandery, and was more than pleased to be present at the inspection.

Guest

The acting Generalissimo with the proper escort waited upon and introduced Eminent Sir James S McCandless of Honolulu, Past Commander of Honolulu Commandery # 1, who received a hearty welcome from the Commandery and the Eminent Commander.

Commander Briggs introduced Em Sir McCandless as not only a Past Commander, but the Imperial Potentate of the Imperial Council of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine.

Em. Commander McCandless responded in a very interesting manner giving many pleasant and valuable information in regard to Honolulu and Hawaii.

Inspection

The Generalissimo retired with the proper escort and introduced the Division Commander Eminent James A Gunn, who was previously announced by Eminent Sir Frank B Kenny, his Deputy Warder with a Suite of 116.

The Eminent Commander introduced Em Sir James A Gunn and suite to the Commandery and the inspecting officer responded and introduced his suite to the Commander, who invited them to take seats in the East.

The Official count was made and the following report was announced.

Members of Boston Commandery in uniform	297
Not in uniform	6
Visiting Sir Knights in Uniform	8
Not in uniform	29
Suite	116
Total	456

Work (Order of the Temple)

Comp. William Frederick Graybert Having received a part of the ceremonies of the Order was introduced

and received the fifth libation by the Right Eminent Sir James S Blake assisted by Eminent Sirs

Eminent Sir James A Gunn introduced Rt Em. Sir Frederick I Dana, Grand Inspector Instructor who complimented the Commandery on their numbers present also on the very satisfactory work of the evening by its officers, and gave the official mark nine minus.

Eminent Sir James A Gunn complimented the condition of the Charter and Rituals also the records of the Recorder. He resigned the chair to Commander Briggs who called upon Rt Em Sir James S Blake for a few remarks.

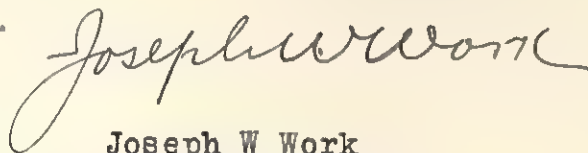
A letter was read from the Grand Master M. Em Sir V. P. Newby.

The Commander then presented Rt Em Sir Blake and Em James A Gunn, Em Sir Frank B. Kenny, and Rt Em Sir Frederick I Dana with a beautiful basket of fruit as a compliment from the Commandery.

There being no further business the Commandery closed in Form after the retiring of the Inspecting Officer and his suite, at 10:40 o'clock P. M.

A true record

Attest



Joseph W Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday December 20, 1922.

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form
at 5 o'clock P. M.

Records

The Records of the Regular Conclave of November 15th
were read and approved.

Ballotting

The Committees upon the following applications for the
Orders having reported favorably, and upon ballot they were
declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Ulmont Marvin Carleton
Comp. Benjamin F. Chamberlin
Comp. John William Downes
Comp. Roscoe L Davidson
Comp. Grover Cleveland Hoyt
Comp. Nelson Towle Libby
Comp. Joseph Walter Predmore
Comp. Arnold Gustaf Learned Smith
Comp. Philip Holt Tukesbury

For Membership

Sir Knight Frank E Shepard

Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple,
and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross opened and the
Order was conferred under the direction of the Generalissimo,
Sir Knight George T. Wiley,

The following Companions were introduced.

Comp. William Edgar Gould
Comp. Alfred William Yale
Comp. Leon Lewis Aznive
Comp. Albert May Aznive
Comp. Harold Bryant Barney
Comp. Carl Harry Beasler
Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach
Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach Jr
Comp. Louis Edgar Greene
Comp. Wilbur George Hutchins

Comp. Willis Edgar Wittemore
 Comp. Wilmot M. Carleton
 Comp. Roscoe L Davidson
 Comp. Joseph W. Predmore
 Comp. Arnold G. L. Smith
 Comp. Philip H Tukesbury

Order of Malta

Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was closed and a Priory of the Order of Malta opened, and the ceremonies were conducted by Capt. General Sir Knight Frank O. Clark.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and proceeded to the banquet Hall.

Business of the evening was resumed at 7:45 P. M. and the following petitions were read.

- ✓ Comp. Harold Eugene Corson
 Residence 53 Garfield Rd Melrose
 Occupation Merchant
 Place of business 23 Fruit St Produce Exchange Boston
 Member of St Marks Lodge #44 N H and St Pauls R A Chapter Bos
 Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest T Cobb and Gustavus F Hall
- ✓ Comp. Wilfred Adelbert Clark
 Residence 185 College Ave West Somerville
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 203 Albany Bldg Boston
 Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Guy L Coates & Farquhar H Clark
- × Comp. Lowell T Clapp
 Residence 50 Evand Rd Brookline
 Occupation Druggist
 Place of business 439 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Beth-horen Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Em Sir George U Bauer & Sir Knight Winfield L. Nourse
- × Comp. Robert Carl Jank Jr
 Residence 1414 Hyde Park Ave Hyde Park
 Occupation Asst. Treas
 Place of business American Tool & Machine Co 10 High st Boston
 Member of Hyde Park Lodge & Norfolk R A Chapter Hyde Park
 Recommended by Sir Knights Henty F Lehmann & George L Sibley
- × Comp. Robert Crawford Jamieson
 Residence 30 Huntington Ave Boston
 Occupation Dentist
 Place of business 30 Huntington Ave Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights James A Parker & Kenneth Campbell

+ Comp. Frank Willis Morrill
Residence 656 Huntington Ave Boston
Occupation Retired
Place of business 656 Huntington Ave Boston
Member of Trinity Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Edward C Chase

+ Comp. Harry Munroe Murdough
Residence 25 Windemere Rd Dorchester
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 60 North Market st Boston
Member of The Gate of the Temple S. B. & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Ernest T Cobb

Comp. Jay Warren Nichols
Residence 20 Blue Hill Ave Milton
Occupation Bookkeeper
Place of business 502 Harrison Ave Boston
Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Albert W Barnard & Charles A Watts

+ Comp. Leon Woodbury Rand
Residence 22 Regent Circle Brookline
Occupation Merchant
Place of business 262 Summer st Boston
Member of Dalhousie Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

+ Comp. J. C. Staton
Residence 1368 Com'lth Ave Allston
Occupation Asst Division Mgr
Place of business 148 State st Boston Rm 401
Member of Soley Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Herman L Klein & Ernest A Telfer

+ Comp. Louis Hinton Schwamb
Residence 35 Lowell st Arlington
Occupation Moulding & Frame Mfg
Place of business 29 Lowell st Arlington
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights William A Coakley & William E Mason

+ Comp. Clinton Warren Schwamb
Residence 27 Pierce st Arlington
Occupation Mfg Moulding & Frames
Place of business 29 Lowell st Arlington
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & William A Coakley

x Comp. Jules E Vuillemeier
Residence Manchester N H
Place of business Manchester N. H.
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights D Henry Childs & Edward W Phillips

* Comp. William Arthur Watson
 Residence 771 Broadway Somerville
 Occupation Machinist helper
 Place of business Boston Daily Globe
 Member of King Solomon Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights N F Becktel & Em Sir George U Bauer

* Comp. Frederick Lincoln Ward
 Residence 28 Inman st Cambridge
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 105 Chanucey st Boston
 Member of Mt Olivet Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
 Recommended by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

For Membership

Sir Knight William James Davidson
 Residence 82 Green st Brookline
 Occupation Gen Ngr A & P Co
 Place of business Fitchburg st Somerville
 Member of St Johns Lodge #4 Conn Pythagoras R A Chapter
 # 17 Conn., and Washington Commandery # 1 Hartford Conn
 Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Charles H Farnham

The Generalissimo retired with proper escort and introduced Em Sir Charles E. Hull Division Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island and Past Commander of St. Omer Commandery, and Em. Sir Walter H. Woods, Past Commander of Joseph Warren Commandery of Boston.

Order of Malta

The Captain General, Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, continued the ceremonies of the Order of Malta, and the following Companions were made Knights of Malta.

Comp. William E. Gould
 Comp. Alfred W Yale
 Comp. Leon Lewis Aznive
 Comp. Albert May Aznive
 Comp. Harold Bryant Barney
 Comp. Carl Harry Beasler
 Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach
 Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach Jr
 Comp. Louis Edgar Greene
 Comp. Wilbur George Hutchins
 Comp. Willis Edgar Whittemore
 Comp. Wilmont M Carlton
 Comp. Roscoe L Davidson
 Comp. Joseph W Predmore
 Comp. Arnold G. L. Smith
 Comp. Phillip H Takesbury

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Sir Knight Arthur A Hale, being square on the books, he was

granted a dimit.

Work of the Temple

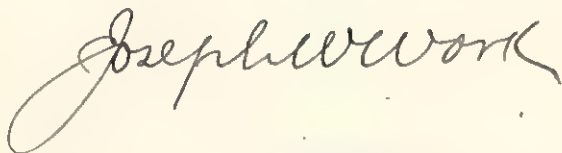
The Order of the Tmple was conferred upon Companion William Edgar Gould, he having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta.

Order of Malta

The Priory of the Order of Malta having finished the business was closed at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Joseph W. Work".

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 17, 1923

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization, excepting the Prelate. Em. Sir Charles E. Hull, Past Commander of St Omer Commandery acted as Prelate in the absence of Em. Sir Charles W. Howard.

Records

The records of the regular Conclave of December were read and approved.

Ballotting

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorably, and upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Harold Eugene Corson
 Comp. Willfred Adelbert Clark
 Comp. Lowell T Clapp
 Comp. Robert Crawford Jamieson
 Comp. Frank Willis Morrill
 Comp. Harry Munroe Murdough
 Comp. Leon Woodbury Rand
 Comp. J. C. Staton
 Comp. Louis Hinton Schwamb
 Comp. Clinton Warren Schwamb
 Comp. William Arthur Watson
 Comp. Frederick Lincoln Ward

For Membership

Sir Knight William James Davidson

The following applications were held over until the next Conclave on account of the absence of release of jurisdiction.

Comp. Robert Carl Jank Jr
 Comp. J. Warren Nichols
 Comp. Jules E Vuillemeisire

Deaths

The Commander announced the death of Sir Knight Lyman Penn who was Knighted January 21, 1885, and died January 5th, 1923.

The Commander announced the illness of Sir Knight James

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F. Bliss.

Visitors

The Commander introduced Sir Knight Frank E Sheppard who was elected a member of Boston Commandery at the last Conclave. . Em. Sir Lorenzo L. Green, Em. Commander of St Bernard Commandery. Em. Sir Elijah R. Gilliland Commander of Temple Commandery of Norwood, mass.

The Rt. Em. Commander, James S. Blake, enetered unattend-
ed, but was given a grand ovation which he always receives
when attending the Conclaves of his own Commandery.

V. Em. Sir Charles R. Hunt, Deputy Grand Commander of
Massachusetts & Rhode Island, Em. Sir George L. Cole,
Commander of Quincy Commandery and Sir Knight George B.
Dexheimer, Generalissimo of Quincy Commandery. Em Sir
Almon B. Cilley, Past Commander of DeMolay Commandery.

The above visitors were cordially received by the
Commandery.

Resolution

Rt. Em Sir James S. Blake proposed the following reso-
lution.

Having been informed of the very serious accident to
Em. Sir H. Corcell Staples, Commander of DeMolay Commandery,
it was resolved that a letter of sympathy be forwarded to
him, being the expression of Boston Commandery.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the dinner was in waiting
and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines
and marched to the Banquet Hall.

Work

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple
at 7:20 o'clock P. M. The following Companions having
previously received the Order of the Red Cross and Malta
were introduced.

Comp. Leon Lewis Aznive
Comp. Albert May Aznive
Comp. Harold Bryant Barney
Comp. Carl Harry Bealer
Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach
Comp. Franklin Michael Erlenbach Jr
Comp. Louis Edgar Greene
Comp. Wilbur George Hutchins
Comp. Willis Edgar Whittemore
Comp. Wilmont Marvin Carlton
Comp. Roscoe L. Davidson

Comp. Joseph Walter Pridmore
 Comp. Arnold Gustaf Learned Smith

Candidates were received by the Rt Em Sir James S. Blake and V Em Sir Charles R. Hunt and Em Sir Frederick C. Goodwin, Past Commander of DeMolay Commandery, and Sir Knight Arthur G. Seabury, Generalissimo of Sutton Commandery of New Bedford.

The following petitions were received.

Comp. Florian John Alshelm
 Residence 31 Crawford st Roxbury
 Occupation Officer Mgr
 Place of business 28 Fanueil Hall Sq Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse & Frank O Clark

* Comp. William Alphonsus Antrim
 Residence 51 Chestnut st Charlestown
 Occupation Minister
 Place of business Peoples Palace Boston
 Member of William Sutton Lodge Saugus St Pauls R A Chap Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse & Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs

* Comp. Raymond Briggs Chadbourne
 Residence 16 Intervale Ave Medford
 Occupation Service Station operator
 Place of business Standard Oil Co 50 Congress st Boston
 Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Charles W Chadbourne & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

* Comp. George Hay Davis
 Residence Winthrop
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business Underwood Typewriter Co 74 Franklin st Bos.
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Sir Knights Harry E Wright & Leslie E Griffin

* Comp. Adelbert Nathan Drury
 Residence 63 Loring Rd Winthrop
 Occupation Dentist
 Place of business 100 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Nathan D Chapman & Harry D Hamilton

* Comp. Frederick Albert Dutton
 Residence 382 Broadway Somerville
 Occupation Automobiles
 Place of business Ball Sq Somerville
 Member of Soley Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Richard O Clark

Comp. Earle Huntington Dudley
Residence 23 Westminster st Somerville
Occupation salesman
Place of business Quincy Mass
Member of Charles W Moore Lodge Fitchburg & Somerville R A
Chapter Somerville
Recommended Sir Knight Frank L Morse & Richard O Clark

Comp. Charles M Hemenway
Residence 15 Church st Framingham Ctr
Occupation Bond dealer
Place of business 24 Federal st Boston
Member of Middlesex Lodge & Concord R A Chapter Framingham
Recommended By Sir Knights Charles E Bartlett & Joseph W Work

Comp. George Carroll I Hooper
Residence 11 Tip Top st Brighton
Occupation Traveling salesman
Place of business 80 Boylston st Boston
Member of Washington Lodge Roxbury & St Andrews R A Chapter
Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights James W Fennerly & Edward F Jacobs

Comp. Robert Carl Jank Jr
Residence 1414 Hyde Park Ave Hyde Park
Occupation Asst Treas
Place of business American Tool & Machine Co 10 High st Boston
Member of Hyde Park Lodge & Norfolk R A Chapter Hyde Park
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry F Lehmann & George L Sibley

Comp. Fred Kitson
Residence 9 Elmwood Ct Roxbury
Occupation Deputy Collector
Place of business Internal Revenue Little Bldg Boston
Member of Temple Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights James H Russell & Joseph W Work

Comp. Joseph Henry Peckham
Residence Brookline
Occupation Sales Mgr
Place of business 12 Park Sq Boston
Member of Abedour Lodge Boston & Dorchester R A Chapter Dor
Recommended by Sir Knight George T Wiley & Em Sir George U
Bauer

Comp. Fred William Pettit
Residence 55 Brooksdale Rd Brighton
Occupation Cost Accountant
Place of business Carbone Inc 348 Congress st Boston
Member of Bethesda Lodge Brighton & St Pauls R A Chap Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G
Wilson Jr.

Comp. Harold Morrill Rand
 Residence 23 Conway st Roslindale
 Occupation Retail Grocer
 Place of business 43 Poplar st Roslindale
 Member of Porspect Lodge Roslindale & Mt Vernon R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnston & Walter G
 Richardson

7 Comp. George Nicholas Stevens
 Residence 23 West Minster st Somerville
 Occupation Conrectionery & Ice Cream
 Place of business 674 Broadway Somerville
 Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Richard O Clark

Comp. John Philip Stryker
 Residence 4 Goden st Belmont
 Occupation Biano Inspector
 Place of business 130 Main st Cambridge
 Member of Putnam Lodge Cambridge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight Edward F Jacobs & Em Sir Frederick
 H Briggs

y Comp. Frank Stewart White
 Residence 14 Benjamin Rd Belmont
 Occupation salesman
 Place of business 34 Chauncy st Boston
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Walter E Pendleton & John C
 Pendleton

Comp. John Allen Wheeler Jr
 Residence 14 Holten st West Medford
 Occupation SalesMgr
 Place of business Winchester Mass
 Member of Sagamore Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knights C Harry Bowler & Edmund S Childs

There being no further business the Commandery was
 closed in Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, February 21, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars Templars was opened in form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Ballotting

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorable, upon ballot, were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Florian John Anshelm

Comp. William Alphonsus Antrim

Comp. Raymond Briggs Chadbourne

Comp. George Hayes Davis

Comp. Adelbert Nathan Drury

Comp. Frederick Albert Dutton

Comp. Earle Huntington Dudley

Comp. Charles M. Hemenway (*Martin*)

Comp. George Carroll I Hooper

Comp. Robert Carl Jank Jr

Comp. Fred Kitson

Comp. Fred William Pettit

Comp. Harold Morrill Rand

Comp. George Nicholas Stevens

Comp. John Phillip Styker

Comp. Frank Stewart White

Comp. John Allen Wheeler Jr

Leon Woodbury Rand

Rejection

The Committee appointed to investigate Comp. Joseph Henry Peckham reported favorable, but upon ballot he was declared rejected.

Petitions

The following Petitions were read.

X Comp. Henry Ernest Alterlind^s
Residence 11 Vista st Roslindale
Occupation Jeweler
Place of business 27 School st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge Roslindale & Mt Vernon R A Chapter
Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Joseph W Work

Comp. Frank Albert Anderson
Residence 67 Clement Ave W Roxbury
Occupation P O Clerk
Place of business Boston P. O.
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter U D Ros.
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Colburn & Frederick A Hutchins

Comp. Harold DeFord Burr
Residence Mark Tree Rd Needham
Occupation Sales Representative
Place of business 27 Beach st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge Medford & Newton R A Chapter Newton
Recommended by Sir Knights Richard Ray Jr & Harold W Martin

Comp. William W Cummings
Residence 104 Elm Ave Wollaston
Occupation Confectionery Manf
Place of business 244 Commercial st Boston
Member of Wollaston Lodge & St Stephens R A Chapter Quincy
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles G Eichenberger & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Robert Claery
Residence 94 Beach st Roslindale
Occupation Window Shade Manf
Place of business 83 N Washington st Boston
Member of West Roxbury Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dor.
Recommended by Sir Knights Frederick A Hutchins & Frank L Colbuen

Comp. Frederick Homer Crowley
Residence 42 HarberdView Ave Winthrop
Occupation Clerk
Place of business D st South Boston
Member of Jonesport # 188 Maine & Winthrop R A Chapter Win.
Recommended by Sir Knights W F Stover & W. I. Kelley

Comp. Samuel L. Dillaway
Residence 888 Mass Ave Cambridge
Occupation Reference Association
Place of business 309 Washington st Boston
Member of Soley Lodge Somerville & Somerville R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knight John F Cook & Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs

Comp. Frank Thurston Evans
Residence 820 Mass Ave Cambridge
Occupation Real Estate & Insurance
Place of business 689 Mass Ave Cambridge
Member of Mt Olivet Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knights Edgar F Hunt & Charles L Hamilton

Comp. Ernest Henry Greening
Residence 69 Germain st Boston
Occupation Steward
Place of business Boston A A Boston
Member of Joseph Warren & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Kirkland & Philip B Bradbury

- ✓ Comp. James Gordon
 Residence 34 Medford st Medford
 Occupation Shop Foreman
 Place of business 498 Harrison Ave Boston
 Member of Temple Lodge & St Johns R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank S Treco & William L Aldrich
- ✗ C omp. George Elliott Hall
 Residence 6 A Conway st Roslindale
 Occupation Treas. & Cashier
 Place of business 75 Cornhill Boston
 Member of Norfolk Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
 Recommended by Sir Knights Clarence J MacKenzie & Richmond Stoehr
- ✗ Comp. Everett Warren Jacocks
 Residence 115 Gainsborough st Boston
 Occupation Accountant
 Place of business 206 Masonic Temple Boston
 Member of Center Lodge 97 Meridian Conn & Keystone R A Chapter Meridian Conn
 Recommended by Sir Knights Joseph W Work & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
- ✓ Comp. Homer Roberts Norton
 Residence 22 Warner st Somerville
 Occupation Student
 Place of business Burdett College 18 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights William E Butnam & John F Cook
- ✓ Comp. Earl DeWitt Parker
 Residence 29 Thornton Park Winthrop
 Occupation Publisher
 Place of business 79 Sudbury st Boston
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Sir Knights William M Beach & Charles W Rowell
- Comp. Oscar Edward Stanton
 Residence 46 Wyllis Ave Everett
 Occupation Engineer N E T & T Co
 Place of business 8 Harrison Ave Boston
 Member of Rufus Putnam Lodge Rutland & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
 Recommended by Sir Knights Horace M Stephens & Winfield L Nourse
- ✗ Comp. Edwin Guphill Strain
 Residence 20 Goss Ave Melrose
 Occupation Trainman
 Place of business B & M RR Co Boston
 Member of Wyoming Lodge Melrose & Waverly R A Chapter Melrose
 Recommended by Sir Knights George Garden & Arthur N Hale

- + Comp. Ernest Keasbery Shaw
 Residence Southville Rd Southville Mass
 Occupation Investigator & Adjustor
 Place of business 727 Washington st Somerville Co Boston
 Member of St Bernard Lodge & Concord R A Charter S Framingham
 Recommended by Sir Knights Fred C McIntosh & Joseph W Work
- + Comp. Frank Augustus Sholes
 Residence 11 Rockland st Roxbury
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business 50 Congress st Boston Standard Oil
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Edward K Thayer & Edward F Jacobs
- + Comp. Lester Edwin Stevenson
 Residence 12 Peco Ave Winthrop
 Occupation Asst Sales Mgr
 Place of business Cutter & Wood Supply Co Boston
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Sir Knights George H H L Stevenson & George Milan
- + Comp. William Casper Wiendieck
 Residence Beaconsfield Hotel Brookline
 Occupation Mgr
 Place of business 105 Chauncey st Boston
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Edward K Thayer & Arthur M Blades

For Membership

Sir Knight Frank Henry Nottage
 Residence 138 Grand View Ave Wollaston
 Occupation Cotton Broker
 Place of business 220 Devonshire st Boston
 Member of Mt Vernon #4 R. I. & Pawtuxet R A Chapter 15 R. I.
 Member of Calvary Commandery Providence R I
 Recommended by Sir George A Craig & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Trinity Church April

Invitation was received from the Rector of Trinity Church to attend Ascension Services on April and upon vote, the same was accepted, giving full powers to the Council to make proper arrangements.

St John's Day

It was Voted to celebrate St John's Day giving the Council full powers to make all arrangements.

Theater Party

Voted to give a Theater Party on Monday, March 12, 1923.
 The Council to have full powers to make all arrangements.

Visitor

Em. Sir H. Corcell Staples, Commander of DeMolay Commandery was introduced to the Commander and thru him to the Commandery it being his first appearance in any Masonic Body since his accident.

Em. Sir Staples was heartilly and cordially received which proved to him that his recovery was a joy to all members of Boston Commandery.

Ill Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple, and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was duly opened, and the ceremonies were conducted by the Generalissimo, Sir Knight George T. Wiley.

The following Companions were received.

Comp. Benjamin F. Chamberlin
 Comp. Lowell T Clapp
 Comp. Wilfred Adelbert Clark
 Comp. Harold Eugene Corson
 Comp. John William Downs
 Comp. Grover Cleveland Hoyt
 Comp. Robert Crawford Jamieson
 Comp. Frank Willis Morrill
 Comp. Harry Munroe Murdough
 Comp. J. C. Staton
 Comp. Louis Hinton Schwamb
 Comp. Clinton Warren Schwamb
 Comp. William Arthur Watson
 Comp. Frederick Lincoln Ward
 Comp. William Alphonuss Antrim
 Comp. Raymond Briggs Chadbourne
 Comp. George Hayes Davis
 Comp. Adelbert Nathan Drury
 Comp. Frederick Alvert Dutton
 Comp. Earl Huntington Dudley
 Comp. Charles M Hemenway
 Comp. George Camoll I Hooper
 Comp. Robert Cark Jank Jr
 Comp. Fred Kitson
 Comp. Fred William Pettit
 Comp. George Nicholas Stevens
 Comp. John Philip Stryker
 Comp. Frank Stewart White
 and Comp. King Olaf Winsor on account of the Sante Fe Commandery #1 of New Mexico.

Dinner

The Commander announced the regular dinner was in waiting and the Sir Knights together with their guests and officers of the Commandery formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall.

Dimit

Sir Knight George H. Wood being square on the books,
at his request was granted a dimit from Boston Commandery.

Release of jurisdiction

Upon request of Rt. Em. Sir James S. Blake, Grand
Commander a waiver of jurisdiction was granted over Comp.
Bradley Perkins Smith resident 90 Friend st Boston, to
Malta Commandery of Newport, Vermont.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight James F. Bliss Knighted Mar. 21, 1883.
Died January 27, 1923.

Sir Knight Osmon M. Arnold Knighted January 15, 1908
Died February 4, 1923.

Sir Knight Henry A Davis Jr. Knighted June 19, 1895
Died February 8, 1923.

Sir Knight Frank S. Jones Knighted December 17, 1902
Died February 4, 1923.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of Red Cross having been
closed, a priory of the Order of Malta was opened and
the ceremony was conducted by the Captain General Frank O.
Clark, and the above named Companions who received the Ill
Order of the Red Cross were introduced and the Order of
Malta was conferred upon them.

There being no further business the priory was closed
at 10:25 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wark

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, March 21, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The Records of the last Conclve were read and approved.

Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorable, upon ballot were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Henry Ernest Alsterlund
 Comp. Frank Albert Anderson
 Comp. William Robert Claery
 Comp. Frederick Holmer Crowley
 Comp. Frank Thurston Evans
 Comp. Ernest Henry Greening
 Comp. James Gordon
 Comp. George Elliott Hall
 Comp. Everett Warner Jacocks
 Comp. Homer Roberts Norton
 Comp. Earl DeWitt Parker
 Comp. Edwin Guptill Strain
 Comp. Ernest Keasbery Shaw
 Comp. Frank Augustus Scholes
 Comp. Lester Edwin Stevenson
 Comp. William Casper Wiendieck

For Membership

Sir Knight Frank Henry Nottage

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since our last Conclave.

George E Bridgham	Knighted Jan. 18, 1919 Died February 21, 1923
DeWitt Shaffer	Knighted January 16, 1883 Died February 14, 1923
John Evans	Knighted January 15, 1890 Died March 7, 1923
MacGregor Cumming	Knighted May 19, 1915 Died March 2, 1923
William W Peirce	Knighted June 18, 1890 Died July 5, 1922

Applications

The following applications were read.

Comp. Asa Samuel Allen
Residence 45 Pine st. Belmont
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business 45 Milk st Boston
Member of Washington Lodge, & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Owen D McLellan & Elmer G Page

Comp. Stephen Drew Bartlett
Residence 1122 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Jeweler
Place of business 59 Temple Place Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. ^KCarl David Bean
Residence 285 Lynn Shore Drive Lynn
Occupation Surveyor and Draftsman
Place of business 184 High st Boston
Member of Richard C MacLaurin Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights J Frederick Berquist & Charles B Wood

Comp. Alfred Franklin Bonney
Residence 65 Greeough st Brookline
Occupation Master Plumber
Place of business 1629 Beacon st Brookline
Member of Beth-horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Winfield L Nouse & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. William W Cummings
Residence 104 Elm Ave Wollaston
Occupation Confectionery Mfg
Place of business 244 Commercial st Boston
Member of Wollaston Lodge & St Stephens R A Chapter Quincy
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles G Eichenberger and Joseph W Work

Comp. Samuel L Dillaway
Residence 888 Mass Ave Cambridge
Occupation Reference Asso
Place of business 309 Washington st Boston
Member of Soley Lodge Somerville & Somerville R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knight John F Cook & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. George C Emerson
Residence 29 Hall Ave W Somerville
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 29 Hall Ave W Somerville
Member of Putnam Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest K Rogers & Harold W Martin

Comp. Archie Warren Farrell
Residence 77 Chester Rd Belmont

Occupation Trickman
Place of business 57 Chatham st Boston
Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge Boston & Belmont R A
Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry B Wiegner & Herman M Rich

Comp. Ernest A Hale
Residence 94 Westbourne Terr Brookline
Occupation Lawyer & Banker
Place of business 44 Bromfield st Boston
Member of Beth-horen Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George R Nugent & Em Sir George
U Bauer

Comp. Horace Winthrop Jackson
Residence 645 Fellsway West Medford
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 93 Oliver st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Walker Jr & Frank A Walker

Comp. Lester Nelson Maintien
Residence 15 Cherry st Medford
Occupation Mason Contractor
Place of business 15 Cherry st Medford
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank A Walker & John A Walker Jr

Comp. Frank Russell Mullaney
Residence 51 Prentiss st Cambridge
Occupation Asst Sec & Actuary
Place of business 245 State st Boston
Member of Berger Lodge 47 N. J. & Mt Vernon R A Chapter & N J
Recommended by Sir Knight Henry C Kneppenbergh Jr & Em Sir
Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Jay Warren Nichols
Residence 20 Blue Hill Ave Medford
Occupation Book keeper
Place of business 502 Harrison Ave Boston
Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Albert W Barnard & Charles A Watts

Comp. George Learned Rehm
Residence 196 Highland st Ave Boston
Occupation Carpenter
Place of business 126 State st Boston
Member of Satuit Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Edward C Dhase & Em Sir Frederick
H Briggs

Comp. Arthur George Sabin
172 Winthrop Ave Revere
Occupation Security Salesman
Place of business 202 Devonshire st Boston
Member of Seaview Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Fred W Hayward & David T Keever

4 Comp. William Herbert Sanger
Residence 159 Lake View Ave Cambridge
Occupation Clerk of the Mass Senate
Place of business Rm 330 State House Boston
Member of Faith Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight
Charles A Watts

4 Comp. Edland Donald Savage
Residence 105 Peterborough st Boston
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 23 Central st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights L Curtis Turner & Philip B Brad-
bury.

4 Comp. Oscar Edward Stanton
Residence 46 Wyllis Ave Everett
Occupation Eng N E Tel & Tel Company
Place of business 8 Harrison Ave Boston
Member of Rufus Putnam Lodge Rutland, & Mt Vernon R A
Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Horace M Stephens and Winfield
L Nourse

4 Comp. Henry Dixon Vanderwyk
Residence 1714 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Sales Mgr
Place of business 2 Park Sq Rm 6 Boston
Member of Isaac Parker Lodge & Waltham R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Albert B Hall & Em Sir Frederick
H Briggs

4 Comp. Willard Henry Wilman
Residence 63 Summit Ave Brookline
Occupation Manager
Place of business 99 Chauncy st Boston
Member of Berwyn Lodge 839 Ill & Circle R A Chapter 246 Ill
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Hamilton & Mansfield
Austin

4 Comp. William Ingalls Young
Residence 1008 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation salesman
Place of business Standard Oil Co N. Y. E Cambridge
Member of St John & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Darius N Palmer & Charles A Watts

For Membership

Sir Knight Percy Aubrey Brigham
Residence 22 Madison st Somerville
Occupation Teacher
Place of business Boston Trade School Boston
Member of John Abott Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
and Couer de Lion Commandery Charlestown
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Charles
A Watts

Guests

The Generalissimo Sir Knight George T Wiley introduced the following guests.

Em. Sir H. Corcell Staples Commander of DeMolay Commandery
Em. Sir Roland C March, Commander of Gethsemane Commandery,
Em. Sir William Wragg, Commander of Cyprus Commandery, and
Em Sir Charles J Corwin Past Commander of De Moley Commandery
Sir Knight. George A B Bacon, Generalissimo of Gethsemane
Commandery, Em. Sir Hiram A Roark, Commander of Sir Galahad
Commandery, Waltham, Irving G Findlay, Past Commander of
DeMolay Commandery.

The above named Em Sirs and Sir Knights were called upon and officiated in the ceremonies of the Work of the Temple.

Work

The Order of the Temple was conferred in due Form upon the following Companions of the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta, they being entitled to the same.

Comp. Benjamin F Chamberlin
Comp. Lowell T Glapp
Comp. Wilfred A Clark
Comp. Harold E Corson
Comp. John William Downes
Comp. Grover Cleveland Hoyt
Comp. Robert Crawford Jamieson
Comp. Frank Willis Morrill
Comp. Harry M Murdough
Comp. J. C. Staton
Comp. Louis Hinton Schwamb
Comp. Clinton Warren Schwamb
Comp. William Arthur Watson
Comp. Frederick Lincoln Ward
Comp. William Alphonsus Antrim
Comp. Raymond Briggs Chadbourne
Comp. George Hayes Davis
Comp. Adelbert Nathan Drury
Comp. Frederick Albert Dutton
Comp. Earl Huntington Dudley
Comp. Charles M Hemenway
Comp. George Carroll I Hooper
Comp. Fred Kitson
Comp. Fred William Pettit
Comp. George Nicholas Stevens
Comp. John Philip Stryker
Comp. Frank Stewart White
Comp. Alfred W Yale

also Comp. King Olaf Windsor for Sante Fe Commandery #1
Sante Fe New Mexico

The above named Companions having signed the By-Laws were enrolled members of Boston Commandery and diplomas will be forwarded by mail.

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed
in Form at 10:50 o'clock P. M.

A true record

Joseph L. Wong

Attest

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Wednesday, April 18, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Balloting

The Committees upon the following applications for the Order having reported favorable, upon ballot were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Asa Samuel Allen
 Comp. Stephen Drew Bartlett
 Comp. Alfred Franklin Bonney
 Comp. Samuel L Dillaway
 Comp. Archie Warren Farrell
 Comp. Ernest A Hale
 Comp. Horace Winthrop Jackson
 Comp. Lester Nelson Maintien
 Comp. Frank Russell Mullaney
 Comp. George Leonard Rehm
 Comp. William Herbert Sanger
 Comp. Edland Donald Savage
 Comp. Oscar Edward Stanton
 Comp. Henry Dickson Vanderwyk
 Comp. Willard Henry Wileman
 Comp. William Ingalls Young

For Membership

Sir Knight Percy Aubrey Brigham

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened, the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight George T. Wiley, Generalissimo.

The following Companions were received.

Comp. Henry Ernest Alsterling
 Comp. Frank Albert Anderson
 Comp. William Robert Claery
 Comp. Frederick Homer Crowley
 Comp. Frank Thurston Evans
 Comp. Ernest Henry Greening
 Comp. Nelson Towle Libby

Comp. Harold Morrill Rand
 Comp. John Allen Wheeler Jr
 Comp. James Gordon
 Comp. George Elliott Hall
 Comp. Everett Warner Jacocks
 Comp. Homer Roberts Norton
 Comp. Earl DeWitt Parker
 Comp. Ernest Keasbery Shaw
 Comp. Frank Augustus Scholes
 Comp. Lester Edwin Stevenson
 Comp. Edwin Guptill Strain
 Comp. William Casper Wiendieck
 Comp. Asa Samuel Allen
 Comp. Stephen Drew Bartlett
 Comp. Alfred Franklin Bonney
 Comp. Samuel L. Dillaway
 Comp. Archie Warren Farrell
 Comp. Ernest A Hale
 Comp. Horace Winthrop Jackson
 Comp. Lester Nelson Maintien
 Comp. Frank Russell Mullaney
 Comp. George Leonard Rehm
 Comp. William Herbert Sanger
 Comp. Edland Donald Savage
 Comp. Oscar Edward Stanton
 Comp. Henry Dickson Vanderwyk
 Comp. William Ingalls Young
 Comp. Florian John Anshelm

Dinner

The Commander announced that the dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall.

Evening

The business of the Commandery was resumed at 7:30 o'clock P. M. and the balance of the candidates were received and instructed in the ceremonies of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross.

Guests

Em. Sir H. Corcell Staples, Commander of De Molay Commandery and Sir Knight George B. Dexheimer, Generalissimo of Quincy Commandery were introduced by the Generalissimo and received by the Commander and presented to the Commandery.

Ascension Day

The Commander made his report on Ascension Day announcing that the Commandery would march to Trinity Church, Trinity Square, to attend the services.

St John's Day

The Commander reported that the Commandery would celebrate St John's Day at the Poland Spring House, Poland Springs, Maine, and further particulars would be forwarded by mail.

Vote of thanks to Sir Knight Warren

A Unanimous Vote of Thanks was passed by the Commandery to Sir Knight Frank L. Warren for his services in procuring the 101st Engineers band for the entertainment of the evening.

Applications

The application of Carl David Bean had favorable reports from the Committees, but no release of jurisdiction from Olivet Commandery of Lynn.

The application of William W Cummings release not received from Quincy Commandery.

The application of George C Emerson committee asked for further time.

The application of J. Warren Nichols release not received from Cypress Commandery, Hyde Park.

The application of Arthur George Sabin of Revere no release received from Palestine Commandery of Chelsea.

Companion Willard Henry Wileman was elected but not present at this Conclave.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious of the Red Cross having been closed, a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened, and the above named Companions who had received the Order of the Red Cross at this Conclave was received, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companions Everett Warner Jacocks and John Allen Wheeler Jr, they having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Malta, and entitled to the Order of the Temple.

Applications

The following applications were read.

Comp. Howard Milton Boynton
Residence 60 Highland Ave Arlington
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 60 Highland Ave Arlington
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & William A Coakley

Comp. Arthur Edwin Gazeley
Residence 94 Marshall st Somerville
Occupation Asst Secretary
Place of business 90 Friend st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A Brigham & John F Cook

Comp. Guy Taylor Mitchell
Residence 37 Walter st Somerville
Occupation Treasurer Accounting Supply Mfg Co
Place of business 311 Atlantic Ave Boston
Member of Fidelity Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A Brigham & John F Cook

Closing

A Priory of the Order of Malta having finished the ceremonies the
Commander closed the same at 9:50 o'clock P. M.

A True Record

Attest:

Joseph W. W. W.

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Wednesday, May 16th, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual organization.

Records

Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Balloting

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorable, upon ballot were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Karl David Bean
Comp. Howard Milton Boynton
Comp. Arthur Edwin Gazeley
Comp. Guy Taylor Mitchell
Comp. Jules E. Vuilleumier

Rejected

The application of Companion George C Emerson, the committee's report of one favorable and one unfavorable, upon ballot he was rejected.

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. William Adams Apel
Residence 40 Hall Ave Somerville
Occupation Machine adjuster
Place of business 363 Boylston st Boston
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Herbert E Bennett & Ernest K Rogers

Comp. Theodore Mayo Atkinson
Residence 71 Mason Terr Brookline
Occupation Manufacturer
Place of business 6 Temple st Charlestown
Member of Bethshoren Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Edward C Chase & Ernest A Hale

Comp. William Chester Bragg
Residence 1842 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Real Estate
Place of business 294 Washington st Rm 738 Boston
Member of St Paul's Lodge Ayer & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knights Daniel F Reed

+ Comp. William Leonard Flett
Residence Belmont
Occupation Chauffeur
Place of business 50 Common st Belmont
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Elmer C Read & Henry B Wiegner

+ Comp. Charles August Held Jr
Residence 19 Myrtle st Boston
Occupation Proof reader
Place of business The Boston Post 257 Washington st Boston
Member of Corinthian Lodge #104 Conn & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William A Watson & Joseph W Work

+ Comp. Francis Juggins
Residence 62 Lowell Rd Winthrop
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business 308 Sears Bldg Boston
Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights Amos W Crooks & Benjamin W Healey

Comp. Joseph Myles Kinsman
Residence 33 Delano Ave Ave Point of Pines Revere
Occupation Fur Salesman
Place of business 364 Washington st Boston
Member of Seaview Lodge Revere & Shekinah R A Chapter Chelsea
Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Winfield L Nourse

+ Comp. William Francis Langley
Residence Waverly
Occupation Garage Keeper
Place of business White st Waverly
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry B Weigner & Owen D McLellen

+ Comp. Cecil Kelley Maxwell
Residence 18 Walker st Cambridge
Occupation Investment Banking
Place of business 68 Devonshire st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Burton L Barstow & Josiah T Dyer

+ Comp. Walter Macfawn
Residence 14 Court st Arlington
Occupation Pres. Carder Wood Working Company
Place of business 127 Cambridge st Allston
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & William A Coakley

+ Comp. Frank William Nay
Residence 556 Shirley Ave Winthrop
Occupation Traffic Supervisor
Place of business 484 Rutherford Ave Charlestown
Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank W Kittredge & Joseph W Work

Comp. Edward Archibald Patterson
 Residence 24 Hillside Ave Medford
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 8 Salem st Medford
 Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knights John A Walker Jr & Frank A Walker

Comp. Linwood Leighton Ramsdell
 Residence 194 Main st Wakefield
 Place of business 78 Commerce st Boston
 Member of Golden Rule Lodge Reading & Reading R A Chapter Reading
 Recommended by Sir Knights Harrie E Mason & Frank O Clark
 Occupation Wholesale Grocer

Comp. Jerome Freeman Ross
 Residence 2 Westland Ave Boston
 Occupation Private Secretary
 Place of business 201 Devonshire st Boston
 Member of Abedour Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights John L Fiske & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. Arthur Wendell Russell
 Residence 16 Heath st Somerville
 Occupation Wholesale hatter
 Place of business 59 Bedford st Boston
 Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank C Swan & Samuel T Billings

Comp. Charles Batchelder Sanborn
 Residence 52 Harvard Ave West Medford
 Occupation Wholesale Grocer
 Place of business 78 Commerce st Boston
 Member of Soley Lodge Somerville & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sit Knights Harry E Mason & Frank O Clark

Comp. Frank Percival Spaulding
 Residence 57 Hall Ave Somerville
 Occupation Manufacturer of Nurses & Dentists Uniforms
 Place of business 739 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest K Rogers & Herbert E Bennett

Comp. Willard George Steadman
 Residence Boston
 Occupation Lieut. Commander U S Navy
 Place of business Naval Hospital Boston
 Member of Zetland Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Rt. Em Sir James S Blake & Sir Knight Elmer C Read

Comp. Barton Kingman Stephenson
 Residence 81 Walnut st Winchester
 Occupation Insurance Broker
 Place of business 49 Federal st Boston
 Member of William Parkman Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights C. Harry Bowler & Wyman W Smart

+ Comp. William Vickery Taintor
Residence 15 A Grove st Arlington
Occupation Automobile dealer
Place of business 956 Mass Ave Arlington
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & George P Page

+ Comp. Oliver Harold Viehl
Residence 575 High st West Medford
Occupation Manager
Place of business 15 High st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge Somerville & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles W Rowell & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

+ Comp. Francis Bingham White
Residence 269 Washington st Somerville
Occupation Rector St Thomas Episcopal Church Somerville
Place of business 300 Somerville Ave Somerville
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Percy A Brigham

Parade

The Em Commander read a letter from W. L. Terhune, Convention Chairman, inviting the Commandery to participate in the parade Wednesday June 13th, and the same was referred to the Council.

By-Laws

Voted: that a Committee be appointed to examine the By Laws of the Commandery and propose proper amendments thereto.

Committee, Em. Sir F. C. Graves, chairman
Em. Sir Joseph T. Paul.
Em. Sir Charles W Howard

Deaths

The Em. Commander announced the following deaths.
Em. Sir Leonard B. Nichols & Sir Knight George G Stratton
Knighted 9/18/72 Knighted 6/19/78
Died 5/6/23 Died 5/14/23

Work

Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced, and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them

Comp. Florian John Anshelm
Comp. Henry Ernst Alsterlund
Comp. Frank Albert Anderson
Comp. Stephen Drew Bartlett
Comp. Alfred Franklin Bonney
Comp. William Robert Cleary
Comp. Frederick Holmer Crowley
Comp. Samuel Louis Dillaway

Comp. Frank Thurston Evans
 Comp. Archie Warren Farrell
 Comp. Ernest Henry Greening
 Comp. James Gordon
 Comp. Ernest Alfred Hale
 Comp. George Eliot Hall
 Comp. Horace Winthrop Jackson
 Comp. Philip Holt Tukesbury
 Comp. Lester Nelson Maintien
 Comp. Frank Russell Millaney
 Comp. Homer Roberts Norton
 Comp. Earl Dewitt Parker
 Comp. Harold Morrill Rand
 Comp. Leon Woodbury Rand
 Comp. George Leonard Rehm
 Comp. William Herbert Sanger
 Comp. Edland Donald Savage
 Comp. Ernest Keasberry Shaw
 Comp. Frank Augustus Scholes
 Comp. Lester Edwin Stavenson
 Comp. Edwin Gupstill Strain
 Comp. Henry Dixon Vanderwyk
 Comp. William Casper Wiendieck
 Comp. William Ingalls Young
 Comp. Robert Carl Jank Jr
Guests

Sir Knight George T Wiley, Generalissimo, with a proper escort, repaired to the ante room and presented to the Commander, and thru him to the Commandery, introduced Em. Sir H. Corcell Staples, Commander of DeMolay Commandery, Sir Knight Leon L Allen, Captain General of DeMolay Commandery, Em. Sir Manton N. Coombs, Commander of St Johns Commandery, Sir Knight Robert I Durfee, Generalissimo of St Johns Commandery, and Em Sir Edgar C Lakey of St Johns Commandery, Em. Sir Isaac Bradford of Cambridge Commandery, who assisted in receiving the candidates.

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 11:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

Visitation of St John's Commandery Providence, R. I.

The Officers and Guards of St John's Commandery #1 paid a fraternal visit to Boston Commandery, and were entertained by the Guards and Officers of Boston Commandery, May 16th, 1923.

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Wednesday, June 20, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 10 o'clock A. M. with the usual organization.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved with the following additions.

Portland Visitation

May 19, 1923, the Officers and Guards of Boston Commandery on invitation of the St Alban Commandery of Portland, Maine, made a Pilgrimage to Portland and assisted in the work of the Orders.

Ballotting

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorable upon ballot was declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. William Adam Apel
Comp. Therodore Mayo Atkinson
Comp. William Chester Bragg
Comp. William Leonard Flett
Comp. Charles August Held Jr
Comp. Francis Juggins
Comp. William Francis Langley
Comp. Cecil Kelley Maxwell
Comp. Walter MacFawn
Comp. Frank William Nay
Comp. Edward Archibald Patterson
Comp. Jerome Freeman Ross
Comp. Arthur Wendall Russell
Comp. Charles Batchelder Sandborn
Comp. Frank Percival Spaulding
Comp. Willard George Steadman
Comp. Barton Kingman Stephenson
Comp. William Vickery Tainter
Comp. Oliver Harold Viehl
Comp. Francis Bingham White

The petition of Companion Joseph Miles Kinsman committees report being favorable, but release of jurisdiction from the Palestine

Commandery of Chelsea having been refused, no action was taken.

The Commander called the attention of the Commandery to the photograph of Past Commander Walter B. Tripp, which was on an easel in the East. Also the golf club cup which was won by the Boston Commandery team and still is in its possession although many Commanderies have endeavored to capture it.

The Ill Order of Red Cross

The Commandery was closed and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight George T Wiley, Generalissime. The following Companions were introduced.

Comp. Karl David Bean
 Comp. Howard Milton Boynton
 Comp. Guy Taylor Mitchell
 Comp. Jules E Vuilleumier
 Comp. Arthur Edwin Gazeley
 Comp. William Henry Wileman
 Comp. William Adams Apel
 Comp. Theodore Maye Atkinson
 Comp. William Chester Bragg
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 Comp. Cecil Kelley Maxwell
 Comp. Walter MacFawn
 Comp. Frank William Nay
 Comp. Edward Archibald Patterson
 Comp. Jerome Freeman Ross
 Comp. Arthur Wendell Russell
 Comp. Charles Batchelder Sandborn
 Comp. Frank Percival Spaulding
 Comp. Willard George Steadman
 Comp. Barton Kingman Stephenson
 Comp. William Vickery Tainter
 Comp. Oliver Harold Viehl
 Comp. Francis Bingham White

Order of the Temple

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having been closed, the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Balloting

The release of jurisdiction having been received from the Commander of Reading Commandery on the application of Companion Linwood Leighton Ramadell of Wakefield, Mass. upon ballot he was elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Ill Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened and Companion Linwood Leighton Ramsdell was instructed in the Order of the Red Cross with the above named Companions.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of Red Cross having been closed a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the ceremony was conducted by Sir Knight Frank O Clark, Captain General, upon the above named Companion.

Luncheon

The Commander closed the Priory of the Order of Malta and opened the Commandery on the Order of the Temple and announced that a luncheon would be served in the banquet hall, and a recess until 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business at 4:10 o'clock P. M.

Voted

To appoint a nominating Committee to nominate Officers for the ensuing year, and to have the report of said Committee inserted in the notice of the September Conclave.

Voted

To appoint a Committee to procure and present a sword and belt to Commander Frederick H Briggs at the September Conclave.

Voted

To omit the Regular Conclaves for July and August.

Presentation

Commander Briggs presented to Sir Knight Percy A Brigham an official badge of Boston Commandery in behalf of Sir Knight Brigham's Somerville friends.

Dimit

Being square on the books Sir Knight Harry W De Cester was granted a dimit.

Order of Malta

The Commandery was closed and a Priory of the Order of Malta opened, and the ceremonies were concluded on the remaining candidates.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting, and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall.

Order of the Temple

Business was resumed on the Order of the Temple at 8:30 o'clock P. M. and the Officers and invited guests received the following Knights of the Order of the Temple, and they were dubbed and created Knights of the Valiant and Magnanimous Order of the Temple Knights Templars.

Comp. Karl David Bean
 Comp. Howard Milton Boynton
 Comp. Guy Taylor Mitchell
 Comp. Jules E Vuilleumier
 Comp. Arthur Edwin Gazley
 Comp. William Henry Wileman
 Comp. Nelson Towle Libby
 Comp. Oscar Edward Stanton
 Comp. William Adam Apel
 Comp. Theodore Maye Atkinson
 Comp. William Chester Bragg
 Comp. William Leonard Flett
 Comp. Charles August Held Jr
 Comp. Francis Juggins
 Comp. William Francis Langley
 Comp. Cecil Kelley Maxwell
 Comp. Walter MacFawn
 Comp. Frank William Nay
 Comp. Edward Archibald Patterson
 Comp. Linwood Leighton Ramsdell
 Comp. Jerome Freeman Ross
 Comp. Arthur Wendell Russell
 Comp. Charles Batchelder Sandborn
 Comp. Frank Percival Spaulding
 Comp. Willard George Steadman
 Comp. Barton Kingman Stephenson
 Comp. William Vickery Tainter
 Comp. Oliver Harold Viehl
 Comp. Francis Brigham White

The above Companions having signed the By-Laws were enrolled members of Boston Commandery and diplomas will be forwarded by mail.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

✓
Mrs. Harding deeply appreciates your message of sympathy and begs that you will express her sincere gratitude to those associated with you.

To Frederick H. Briggs, Commander.

Acknowledgement of flowers

Boston Commandery received the following acknowledgement for flowers sent.

Mrs. Andrew L. Green

Mrs. George H. Lowe

Mrs. George C. Brooks

Annual Reports

Boston, Sept. 19, 1923

Report of Armorer of Boston Commandery K. T.

The paraphernalia of Boston Commandery in the charge of the Armorer is as recorded in register.

Josiah T. Dyer, Armorer

Boston Commandery K T

Boston, Sept, 19, 1923.

To the Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery K. T.
Your Recorder hands herewith his Annual Report.

Number of Members on hand Sept. 20, 1922	1291	
Admitted during the year	117	
Affiliated from other Commanderies	<u>6</u>	1414
Number dimitted during the year	5	
" died	<u>26</u>	<u>31</u>
Present number of members		1383

Membership is as follows:

Sept. 20, 1922	Life	285	
Made during the year		<u>8</u>	
		293	
Died during the year		<u>7</u>	
		286	
Honorary Life		7	
Honorary		9	
Paying members		<u>1081</u>	1383

Dimitted during the year

Arthur A Hale	Dec 20, 1922
Harold C Spencer	Sept 20, 1922
Frank A North	Sept 20, 1922
George H Wood	Mar 21, 1923
Harvey W De Coster	June 20 1923

Deaths

Henry A Maley	Feb 23, 1922
William W Pierce	July 5 1922 Life
Murray Ballou	July 7 1922
Harry G Howe	July 25 1922 Life
Walter H Haynes	Aug 2 1922
Alexander C Glidden	Sept 1 1922
Henry D Wiggin	Sept 4 1922 Life
Edward H Kavanagh	Nov 5 1922
Charles A Libby	Nov 28 1922
John P Feehan	Dec 4 1922
Warren B Ellis	Dec 8 1922
Lyman Fenn	Jan 5 1923
James F Bliss	Jan 27 1923 Life

Orsom M Arnold
Frank S Jones
Henry A Davis Jr
De Witt Shaffer
George E Bridgham
MacGregor Cumming
John Evans
Leonard B Nichols
George G Stratton
Charles D White
George H Lowe
Lew C Hill
Andrew L Greene

Feb 4, 1923
Feb 4, 1923
Feb 8, 1923
Feb 14 1923
Feb 21 1923
Mar 2 1923
Mar 7 1923
May 6 1923 Hon
May 14 1923
June 18 1923 Life
July 26 1923
Aug 25 1923 Life
Aug 28 1923

Rejections

Dane Sheehan
Joseph Henry Peckham
George C Emerson

Nov 15 1923
Feb 21, 1923
May 16 1923

Your Recorder has received during the year

For dues	7602.72	
For Orders	9000.00	
For Regalia	5750.00	
For Life Membership	960.00	
For Membership	250.00	
For Dinners	1179.25	
For Cases	348.00	
For Traveling cards	2.50	
Interest on deposits	13.74	
Total		25106.21

Paid to Herbert A Rhoades Treasurer as per receipts \$25106.21

Courteously submitted

Joseph W. Worn
Recorder

Report of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Balance Sept 1, 1922	5708.13
1922	
Nov. 4 International Trust Co Savings Dept	1500.00
Dec 7 "	1825.12
1923	
May 20 U. S. 5th Victory Notes Paid	2000.00
Refund of interest paid on bonds purchased	96.12
Income of Fund as per list	4029.34
Commandery Life Membership	960.00
10% receipts	1646.85
	17765.56
	244.79
	18010.35

Payments

1922		
Sept 18	\$3000 St Lo & San Fran Equipments 5s	3000
	Interest	5.84
Nov 2	2000 Elect Securities 7th Series 5s	1946
	Interest	25.28
Oct 18	2000 So Cal Edison 5s	1900.
	Interest	21.39
Nov 3	1000 Wilmington City Elect 1st 5s	912.50
	Interest	.28
Dec 7	2000 Pacific Light & Power 1st 5s	1975.00
	Interest	43.33
1923		
May 20	2000 U S Gold Note 4 3/4	2000.00
June 1	2000 Boston Elevated 6s 1933	1960.00
	Boston Penny Savings Bank	75.83
	Medford Savings Bank	115.56
	Commandery Income	4029.34
Aug 31	Balance	0
		18010.35

Investments Permanent Fund

Am Tel & Tel Colltl Trust 4s dule July 1, 1929	
# 53753- 5612- 14725- 17709- 61932	5000.00
Atch Top & S Fe Rg Co Genl Mtd Gold 4s due Oct 1. 1995	
# 107001/107010	10000 .00
Balt & Ohio RR Co 1st Mtg Gold 4s due July 1, 1948	
# M25121/M25123	3000.00
Boston Elevated Ry Co Gold 4 ¹ / ₂ s due Nov 1, 1941	
#2724/2728	5000.00
" Bonds 6s due June 1, 1933	
#Rect 210-211	2000.00
Boston & Albany RR Imp Bond of 1908 due May 1, 1933	
#266/269	4000.00
Boston & Me RR Co Plain 4s due Sept 1, 1926	
# 1791	1000.00
" 10 year Mtg series F6s due June 1, 1930	
#A 3520 1000- 471/473 \$500 each	2500.00
Chic Bur & Quin Neb Extm Mtg due May 1, 1927	
# 2137-15875-15874	3000.00

Chic Rock Is & Pac Ry 1st & Ref Mtg Gold 4s due April 1, 1934 #20550-20551	2000.00
Denner & Rio Grande RR 1st Cons Gold Mtg 4s due Jan 1, 1936 # 13386-560-13156	3000.00
Tastn Mass St Ry Ref Mtg series A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s due Jan 1, 1948 # 10965 - 10966	2000.00
Eastn Mass St Ry Ref Mtg Series D6s due Jan 1, 1949 #643	100.00
Edsion Elect Ill Co 3 year Gold Coupon Note 5/1s due Jan 15, 1925 # 11669-11670	2000.00
Electrical Securities Cor Coll'tl Trust I S-17th series 5s due Feb 1, 1939# G 498 G 499	2000.00
Lake Shore & Mich So Ry 25 year Gold Deb 4s due Sept 1, 1928 # M35775-M7942-M9868-M9869	4000.00
N Y Centl RR 20 Year Conv Deb 6s Insur 1915 due May 1, 1935 # M23859-M54555-M13546	3000.00
N Y Tel Co 1st & Gen Mtg Gold S S 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s due Nov 1, 1939 # M2977-M23043	2000.00
Northern Pac Ry Prior Ry & Land G G old 4s due Jan 1, 1997 # M64833 M 24762	2000.00
Oregon & Washn R R & Nov Co 1st Ref Mtg series A 4s due Jan 1, 1961 # M41688 M 41689	2000.00
Pac Light & Power Co 1st Mtg Gold 5s due July 1, 1942 # 1999-2000	2000.00
Penna RR Co Cons Mtg Scan May 1 1908 4s due May 1 1948 # 54842- 47483	2000.00
Reading Co & Phil & Reading Coal & Iron Gen Mtg 4s due July 1, 1997	3000.00
# M2962-M59774-M59775	2000.00
So Cal Edison Co Gen & Ref Mtg 25 year Gold 5s due Feb 1, 1944 series 1919 # M34238-M34239	3000.00
St Louis & San Francisco Equipment Trust Series AA 5s due Sept 1, 1934 # 4559/4561	2000.00
Union Pac RR Co Com Gold 4s 20 year due July 1, 1927 #M3761-M42782	4000.00
U S 1st Com 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ s due June 15, 1947 #C00272543-D00272544-E00272545 A00272546	2000.00
U S 3d 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ due Sept 15-1988 #215877-215878 \$500 each 786551 \$1000	2500.00
U S 4th 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ due Oct 15 1938 #H00442978-\$500 J00721959 K00721960	2000.00
U S Gold Note 4 3/4 due March 15, 1927 #20955-20956	2000.00
Upper Ccos RR 4s due May 1, 1930 #155 169	2000.00
Western Union Tel Collt Trust 5s due Jan 1 1938 #8499-2292	1000.00
Willmington City Elect Co 1st Myg Gold 5s due May 1, 1951 # 3	2655.49
Pere Marquette R R Co Com stock Ctf No 33 shares	1742.35
Medford Savings Bank Book # 6456	
Boston Penny Savings Bank Book # 83476	
Pere Marquette R R Co Common stock Scrip ctfs #C2028 \$12 C2057 #66	92997.84

Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

Coupons U S Note 4 3/4	53.16
" N. Y. Central 6s	120.00
" Am Tel & Tel Ss	100.00
Interest Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>7.98</u>
Added to Fund in Boston Penny Savings Bank	281.14

Charity Fund

Receipts

1922	
Sept 9 Malden Trust Co	24.86
Oct 9 Mary A Sawyer	50.00
Nov 20	10.00
Dec 15 Joseph Webb Lodge a/c E E Holmes	20.00
1923	
Apr 10	11
Income from Deposits	615.16
Aug 31 Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>13.59</u>
	744.61

Payments

Sundry Payments for relief & Charity	657.32
Brighton 5¢ Savings Bank	5.31
East Boston Savings Bank	<u>81.98</u>
	744.61

Investments Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

Am Tel & Tel Co 30 years Collt Trust Ss	
Due Dec 1, 1946 # 48738-29209	2000.00
N Y Centl 20-year Gold Debenture 1915 Issue 6s	
Due May 1, 1935 # M32342 M32343	2000.00
U S Treasury Note series A 4 3/4s	
Due March 15, 1925 #39427	1000.00
Boston Penny Savings Bank Bk #148394	<u>418.78</u>
Increase for year \$281.14	5418.78

Investments Charity Fund

Boston Penny Savings Bank Bk #89162	436.31
Brighton Five Cent Savings Bank Bk #19186	122.64
Cambridge Savings Bank Bk # 56344	1630.84
Chelsea Savings Bank Bk # 73245	1631.14
Charlestown Five Cent Savings Bank Bk #76293	1639.18
Dorchester Savings Bank Bk # 13309	1282.88
East Boston Savings Bank Bk # 68753	1701.55
Home Savings Bank Book # 129411	1580.20
Malden Savings Bank Bk # 51648	1376.36
Warren Inst for Savings Bk # 86250	<u>1498.22</u>
Increase for year	78.84
	12899.32

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Balance Sept 1 1922	3677.50
Orders	9000.00
Membership	250.00
Life Membership	960.00
Dues	7602.72
So Shore Commandery	40.00
Dinners	1179.25
Regalias	5750.00
Cases	348.00
Traveling cards	2.50
Int on Balances Treas	64.42
" Rec	13.74
Trustees Oerm Fund Income	4029.34
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	32917.47

Expenditures

Past Commanders Jewell	483.00
Rent Grand Lodge	4130.00
Grand Commandery Dues	1276.50
" Assmt	1383.00
Grand Commanders Regalia	95.00
Regalias	5498.10
Return Fees	450.00
" regalias	250.00
Paraphernalia Ceremonials & Repairs	196.86
So Shore Commandery	75.00
Inspection	96.50
Printing supplies etc	3386.69
Collations	4376.85
Music at meetings including expense of band	284.01
Cigars	517.80
Cleaning Parlor and Armory	25.60
Account Golf Tournament	21.72
Case purchased	15.00
Moving regalis cases	9.00
Storage regalia cases	2.53
Steps in Armory	6.00
Flowers illness of members etc	50.00
Decorations banquet hall	10.00
Storage records	5.00
Storage securities Permanent & Charity	10.00
Repairing Furniture	13.50
Steel Locker	40.00
Pictures \$6.00 \$25.00	31.00
Framing resolutions	10.00
Insurance	186.55
Electric Bill New Orleans Pilgrimage	125.60
Entertainments at Meetings	155.00
Piano lease	9.00

Ladies Night

Grand Lodge rent	120.00	
Printing	80.00	
Help Police etc	60.00	
Entertainment	200.00	
Cards	10.50	
Chairs & Tables rent	9.25	
Collation	<u>385.00</u>	864.75

Theater Party

Printing	71.60	
Flowers	24.00	
Theater	400.00	
Picture	20.00	
Teaming	<u>4.00</u>	519.60

Ascension Sunday

Grand Lodge Rent	50.00	
Program	58.50	
Music at tea	12.00	
Collation	<u>342.00</u>	462.50

Armorer

Salary	500.00	
Telephone	27.00	
Meetings	55.00	
Sundries & Repairs	13.75	
Assistance	<u>14.00</u>	609.75

Recorder

Salary	500.00	
Rent	84.00	
Telephone	24.00	
Diplomas	46.50	
Traveling cards & dimits	4.50	
Copying records	<u>125.00</u>	784.00

Sentinel Salary	84.00	
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Funerals

Flowers	185.00	
Taxi	3.80	
Armorer	15.00	
Auto Hearse	12.00	
Burial	5.00	
Advertising	<u>24.75</u>	245.55

Trustees Permanent Fund

Life membership	960.00	
10% Receipts	<u>1646.85</u>	<u>2606.85</u>
		29401.81
Balance		<u>3515.66</u>
		32917.47

Finance Report

1923

Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

Total	5418.78	Income	281.14
Charity Fund	<u>12899.32</u>	Investment	<u>615.16</u>
	18318.10		896.30

Permanent Fund

Total investments	<u>92997.84</u>	Income	4029.34
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	111315.94		
Cash Sept Treas a/c	<u>37515.66</u>		
	114831.60		

Income Permanent Fund

Sept 1 1906	2148.05
" 1913	2604.11
" 1921	2792.72
" 1922	3271.89
" 1923	4029.34

Total receipts for year	32917.47	
" Expenditures	<u>29401.81</u>	3515.66

Voted: It was unanimously voted to accept the reports of the different Committees and the same to be transcribed on the records.

Commander's Fund

Upon recommendation of the Finance Committee the following resolution was unanimously passed.

This fund to be known as the Commanders Fund and to be added to by such funds as the Commander of Boston Commandery shall set aside for that purpose, provided that no money received for the Orders or membership or dues or income of any other fund shall be applied to this purpose..

This fund shall be kept by the Trustees, they also shall keep a list of all Commanders adding thereto. They shall invest it in such manner as is approved by the trustees of the Permanent Fund. The principal or any part of the principal shall never be withdrawn, but such income thereof as may accrue during his term of office may be withdrawn by the Commander of Boston Commandery. All income not withdrawn at the expiration of any Commander's term of office shall be added to the principal and cannot be withdrawn by any subsequent Commander.

In accordance with the above resolution a check for \$563.33 was ordered to be forwarded to the Treasurer of the Trustees.

Report of the Nominating Committee

In Boston Commandery K T

Sept. 19, 1923

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights:-

Your Committee appointed to nominate Officers for the ensuing year have attended to their duty and report as follows:-

For Commander	Sir George T Wiley
For Generalissimo	Sir Frank O Clark
For Captain General	Sir Charles L Hamilton
For Senior Warden	Sir William P Bullard
For Junior Warden	Sir Robert G Wilson
For Treasurer	Sir Herbert A Rhoades
For Recorder	Sir Joseph W Work
For Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
For Trustee of Permanent Fund for three years	Sir Leon M Abbott
For Trustee of Charity Fund for three years	Sir Leon M Abbott

Courteously submitted

Eugene A Holton
Walter B Tripp
Elmer C Read
Howard M Fletcher
Frederick C Graves

The report of the Nominating Committee was accepted and recommended to proceed to ballot.

The following Committee was appointed Em. Sir Frederick C Graves, Em Sir George U Bauer and Sir Hans H. M. Borghardt to distribute, collect and count ballots for Commander and they reported that the whole number of ballots was 276, necessary for a choice 139. Sir Knight George T. Wiley had 276.

The following Committee was appointed to appraise Sir Knight George T Wiley of his unanimous election, namely, Rt Em Sir James S. Blake as chairman, Em Sir John H Bowker, Em Sir Jesse E Ames, Em Sir George U Bauer, Em Sir Charles W Howard, Em Sir Frederick C Graves and Em Sir Joseph T Paul.

The chairman in a very appropriate speech introduced Sir Knight Wiley to Em Sir Frederick H Briggs who presided at the election, and he informed Sir Knight Wiley that he was unanimously elected as Commander of Boston Commandery for the ensuing year.

Commander Wiley elect thanked the chairman Rt Em Sir James S Blake

for his very gracious introduction, and also Em Sir Frederick H Briggs for his kind remarks in regard to his past Masonic career.

Generalissimo

The following Committee was appointed to distribute, collect and count votes for Generalissimo, and they reported that the whole number of votes cast for Generalissimo was 270, necessary for a choice 136. Sir Knight Frank O. Clark had 270. Em Sir Jesse E Ames, John H. Bowker and Francis W. Breed.

Em Sir Briggs called upon Sir Knight Clark informing him of his unanimous election, and he very appropriately thanked Em Sir Briggs and the Commandery for their continued confidence.

Captain General

The following Committee was appointed to distribute, collect and count for Captain General. Em Sir Frederick C. Graves, George U Bauer and Wilbert Soule who reported whole number of votes cast 246. Necessary for a choice 123. Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton received 246. ¹²⁴

Em Sir Knight Briggs called upon Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton that he had been unanimously elected Captain General for Boston Commandery for the ensuing year. Would he accept.

In a very pleasant manner he thanked Em Sir Briggs for his kind remarks and also the Commandery for their unanimous vote.

Remaining Officers

Rt Em Sir James S Blake moved that the Recorder cast one ballot for the remaining officers, and the vote of the Commandery being unanimous Sir Knight Joseph W Work, Recorder, cast one vote for the following Sir Knights as recommended by the Nominating Committee, namely,

For Senior Warden	Sir Knight William P Bullard
For Junior Warden	Sir Knight Robert G Wilson
Treasurer	Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades
For Recorder	Sir Knight Joseph W Work
For Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
For Trustee of the Permanent Fund for three years	Sir Knight Leon M Abbott
For Trustee of the Charity Fund for three years	Sir Knight Leon M Abbott

Each Officer was declared elected by the presiding officer and accepted their several positions with the assurance that they would perform the duties thereof to the best of their ability.

Dinner

The presiding officer announced that a dinner was in waiting in the banquet Hall and the Officers and Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the hall.

Evening Session

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Delinquents

The matter of delinquents was presented and was voted that the Recorder furnish to the several Sir Knights the names of certain Sir Knights who were in arrears to obtain information in regard to their condition, and if worthy, said dues were to be remitted. The name of Sir Knight George Fickeissean was reported to be in arrears \$16.00, and he having been legally notified by special notice to his last known address by vote of the Commandery he was expelled for non-payment of dues.

Presentation

Rt Em Sir James S Blake presented a sword and belt to Em Sir Frederick H Briggs in behalf of Boston Commandery after a complimentary speech for his efficient work during his two years of administration.

Em Sir Briggs responded in a happy manner for the kind words of Rt Em Sir Blake, and the generous gift of the Commandery.

Installation

Em Sir Joseph T Paul assisted by Em Sir Frederick C Graves installed the Officers of the Commandery as follows:-

Commander	Sir George T Wiley
Generalissimo	Sir Frank O Clark
Captain General	Sir Charles L Hamilton
Senior Warden	Sir William P Bullard
Junior Warden	Sir Robert G Wilson
Recorder	Sir Joseph W Work
Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
Standard Bearer	Sir John A Johnson
Sword Bearer	Sir William I Corthell
Warder	Sir Elmer G Page
Surgeon	Sir Andrew P Cornwall M D
Commissary	Sir Charles B Wood
Quartermaster	Sir Albert B Hall
National Color Bearer	Sir Arthur M Blades
State Color Bearer	Sir Richard Ray Jr
Armorer	Sir Josiah T Dyer
Sentinel	Sir Edward F Jacobs
Musical Director	Sir Thomas M Carter
Organist	Sir Eben H Bailey
Orderly	Sir John W Knowles
Captain of the Guard	Sir Arthur N Hale

The Commander thanked Em Sir Joseph T Paul and Em Sir Frederick C Graves for their services in installing the officers of Boston Commandery with a souvenir for their good ladies at home.

Their being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 9:40 o'clock P. M.

*A true record
attest*

*Joseph W Work
Recorder*

The following applications were read

Comp. Amory Leland

Residence 215 Grafts Rd Chestnut Hill Brookline

Occupation Eng N E T & T Co

Place of business 50 Oliver st Boston

Member of Beth-Horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Winfield L Nourse & Elmer C Read

Comp. J Warren Nichols

Residence 20 Blue Hill Ave Milton

Occupation Bookkeeper

Place of business 502 Harrison Ave Boston

Member of Rabboni Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Clifford F Crosby

Comp. George Parker Oviatt

Residence South Sudbury

Occupation salesman

Place of business 614 Atlantic Ave Noston

Member of Charles A Welch Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knight Frederick A Hutchins & Charles L Hamilton

Comp. Alvin Wood Puffer

Residence 311 Winthrop st Medford

Occupation Soda Fountain Mfg

Place of business Winchester

Member Herom Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Recommended by Sir Knights George B Archer & William A Barr

Comp. Luther Winthrop Puffer Jr

Residence Winchester

Occupation Treas Puffer Mfg Co

Place of business Winchester

Member of William Parkman & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester

Recommended by Sir Knights George B Archer & William A Barr

Comp. Arthur Edgar Smith

Residence 2 Edgar Terr Winthrop

Occupation Manager

Place of business 177 State st Boston

Member of William North Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop

Recommended by Sir Knights Benjamin A Healey & Amos W Crooks

Comp. Chester Cameron Stewart

Residence 6 Sumner Ave Medford

Occupation Commercial Eng

Place of business 8 Beacon st Boston

Member of Charity Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge

Recommended by Sir Knights Carl H Baessler & Walter R Doliver

Comp. Church Harold Storer

Residence 4 Malcolm Rd Cambridge

Occupation Gagage Owner

Place of business 41 West st Cambridge

Member of Mt Olivet Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter

Recommended by Sir Knights Frank T Evans & Edgar F Hunt

Comp. Horace Tracy Cahill
Residence 28 St Stephens st Boston
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business Rm 708 52 Chauncy st Boston
Member of Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir William M Hall & Joseph W Work

Comp. Henry Stanley Cushing
Residence 7 Magoun Ave Medford
Occupation Bond Clerk
Place of business 44 State st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Delano & Josrph W Work

Comp. Robert Hooper Field
Residence 2 Brimmer st Boston
Occupation Bookkeeper
Place of business 171 Tremont st Boston
Member of Mass Lodge & St Pauls Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights N. F. Bechtel & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. Ralph Davis Joslyn
Residence Winchester
Occupation Student Asst
Place of business J P Squire & Co
Member of Mystic Valley Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester
Recommended by Sir ^KKnights George E Pratt & John R Newman

Comp. Ralph Edgar Joslin
Residence Winchester
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business 18 Tremont st Boston
Member of William Parkman Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester
Recommended by Sir ^KKnights George E Pratt & John R Newman

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Wednesday, October 17, 1923.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having reported favorable upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Horace Tracey Cahill
Comp. Henry Stanley Cushing
Comp. Robert Hooper Field
Comp. Ralph David Joslin
Comp. Ralph Edgar Joslin
Comp. Amory Leland
Comp. Alvin Wood Puffer
Comp. Leon Hanscom Puffer
Comp. Luther Winthrop Puffer Jr
Comp. Arthur Edgar Smith
Comp. Chester Cameron Stewart
Comp. Church Harry Storer

Release of Jurisdiction

The release of jurisdiction over Companion J. Warren Nichols, Milton, Mass., and Companion George Parker Oviatt had not been received at this date. Therefore were held over until our next Conclave.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Edward C Matheson	Knighted Dec 21, 1910	Died Oct 11, 1923
Sir Knight J. Arthur Jacobs	" April 20, 1881	" Oct 16, 1923

Report of the Sick

The Commander reported that Sir Knight Harold L Martin met with a very serious accident, and was recovering as well as expected at Riverbank Hospital, Cambridge.

Sir Knight Richard Hapgood was reported confined to his house being seriously ill.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the usual dinner was served in the Banquet Hall and the lines were formed with the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests, and marched to the Hall.

Resumed business

The business of the Commandery was resumed at 8:36 o'clock P. M. and the following Sir Knights were received. Rt Em Sir Charles A Hunt, Grand Commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Rt. Em Sir James S. Blake, Past Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Em Sir Charles E Hull, of St Omar Commandery, Em Sir Charles W Pike, St Omar Commandery, Em Sir Theodore R Lockwood, of DeMolay Commandery and Em Sir T. B. Thompson of Belfast, Maine.

The Commander called upon the several visitors and they responded in a very pleasant and affable manner.

Em. Sir Theodore R. Lockwood extended to Boston Commandery an invitation to act as escort Sunday, October 21st, 1923, at the 75th Anniversary of DeMolay Commandery, and by vote of the Commandery the invitation was unanimously accepted.

Expulsion

The Recorder reported that George Fickeisen was indebted to the Commandery for dues to the amount of \$16.00, and upon motion he was recommended for expulsion. By a unanimous vote he was expelled from Boston Commandery.

The Ill Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the ceremonies were conducted by the Em Sir George T. Wiley. The following Companions were received.

Comp. Horace Tracey Cahill
 Comp. Henry Stanley Cushing
 Comp. Robert Hooper Field
 Comp. Amory Leland
 Comp. Alvin Wood Puffer
 Comp. Leon A Manscom Puffer
 Comp. Luther Winthrop Puffer Jr
 Comp. Arthur Edgar Smith
 Comp. Chester Cameron Stewart
 Comp. Church Harold Storer

Order of Malta

A Council of the Order of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having been closed, a priory of Knights of Malta was opened, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Generalissimo. The above named Knights of the Ill Order of the Red Cross were instructed.

Conferring the Order of the Temple

In accordance with the request of Em Sir George T Wiley, Commander of Boston Commandery who requested the Commander and Officers of De Molay Commandery to confer the Order of the Temple on Company Asa S Allen who had been elected to receive the Order, the following letter was received.

Copy

De Molay Commandery
Boston, Mass.,
October 11, 1923.

Joseph W Work, Recorder of Boston Commandery,
Boston, Mass.,
My dear Sir Knight:-

I am pleased to notify you that at the Special Conclave of DeMolay Commandery held on October 10th in accordance with Boston Commandery the Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion Asa S Allen.

Courteously yours,

Charles R Magee, Recorder

Release of jurisdiction

At the request of Beauseant Commandery, Malden, Mass. a release of jurisdiction was granted over Companion Stanley Rollins Gardner of 100 Queensbury st, Boston, Mass.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 10:35 o'clock P. M.

A True Record

Attest:

Joseph W Work

Recorder

The following applications were read:

Comp. Nicholas Alexander Mannix
Residence 586 Shirley st Winthrop
Occupation Garage Owner
Place of business 250 Washington Ave Winthrop
Member of Putnam Lodge Cambridge & Winthrop R A Chapter, Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights John R Vaughan & Benjamin A Healey

Comp. Charles Steven Panosian
Residence 887 Com'lth Ave Newton
Occupation Pharmacist
Place of business 652 Tremont st Boston
Member of Mass Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knight George F Miller & Fred R Bowman

Comp. Alden Kendal Wood
Residence 27 Adams st Arlington
Occupation Shoesalesman
Place of business 94 Beach st Boston
Member of Lodge of the Temple, Keene, N. H. & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knight Eugene A Richardson & Em Sir George T Wiley

For Membership

Comp. Sir Charles Muzzey Berry
Residence 60 Prescott st Somerville
Occupation Inspector of Animals & Provisions
Place of business 60 Prescott st Somerville
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville and
William Parkman Commandery of East Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George A Berry & Frank O Clark & Charles
L Hamilton

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, November 21, 1923

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templar was opened in form at 5 O'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Record

The Record of the last Conclave was read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Nicholas Alexander Mannix
Comp. George Parker Oviatt
Comp. Alden Kendal Wood

For Membership

Sir Knight Charles Muzzey Berry

Release of Jurisdiction

No release of jurisdiction was received from Gethesmane^{Commandery} over Comp. Charles Stephen Panosian.

Cyprus Commandery of Hyde Park refused release of jurisdiction over Comp. Jay Warren Nichols of Milton, Mass.

Dimits

Sir Knight Bancroft C Davis, now of Washington, D. C. being square on the books was granted a dimit.

Cards

Cards were received from Mrs. Anna E. Jacobs and Mrs. Richard Hapgood acknowledging the receipt of flowers.

The following card was received from our Honorary Member Past Grand Master Joseph Kyle Orr of Atlanta, Georgia.

"Greetings to my new Eminent Commander, dear old George and love to all the boys."

Joseph Kyle Orr

Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Orders of Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them in Full Form.

Comp. Horace Tracey Cahill
 Comp. Henry Stanley Cushing
 Comp. Robert Hooper Field
 Comp. Amory Leland
 Comp. Alvin Wood Puffer
 Comp. Leon Hanscom Puffer
 Comp. Luther Winthrop Puffer Jr
 Comp. Arthur Edgar Smith
 Comp. Chester Cameron Stewart
 Comp. Church Harold Storer and they signed the
 By laws and became members of Boston Commandery.
Dinner

The Commander announced that the usual dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Guests and Sir Knights marched to the banquet Hall.

Order of the Temple

The business was resumed on the Order of the Temple at 8 o'clock P. M., and the following petitions were received.

Comp. Sidney Hedges Baylor
 Residence 436 Marlborough st Boston
 Occupation Student
 Place of business Massachusetts I Technology
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight Guy C Willis and Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. George Melville DeVoe
 Residence 35 Lee st Cambridge
 Occupation Financial Statistician
 Business Stone & Webster
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Cecil K Maxwell & Daniel F Reid

Comp. Harry L Harding
 Residence 39 Hemenway st Boston
 Occupation Custodian of securities
 Place of business Stone & Webster
 Member of Harmony Lodge #38 Maine & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Cecil K Maxwell & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. Alden Leland
 Residence 365 High st Dedham
 Occupation Life Insurance Solicitor Equitable Ins Co
 Place of business Rm 1034 Old South Bldg Boston
 Member of Mt Hollis Lodge Holliston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Cecil K Maxwell & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. Wilhelm Edwin Lundquist
 Residence 58 Lonsdale st Dorchester
 Occupation Chief Draftsman
 Place of business 39 Boylston st Boston

Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles S Hadaway & Joseph W Work

Comp. Richard Charles Lichtenstein Jr
Residence 19 Bradley st Dorchester
Occupation Clerk Shipchandery House
Place of business 91 Broad st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Cecil K Maxwell & Daniel F Reid

Comp. Alton Lombard Miller
Residence 25 Clinton Rd Brookline
Occupation Mfg Wholesale Confectionery
Place of business 16 Medford st Boston
Member of Beth horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George P Page & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Clifford Gilbert Miller
Residence 124 Mt Vernon st Boston
Occupation salesman
Place of business 714 Beacon st Boston
Member of Wilton Lodge #156 Maine & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Cecil K Maxwell & Ralph E Davis

Comp. James Sullivan Robinson
Residence 1351 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Newspaper business
Place of business 200 Ford 15 Ashburton Place Boston
Member of John T Hurd Lodge & Ipswich R A Chapter Ipswich
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Charles H Farnham

Comp. Reginald Gilchrist Sykes
Residence 100 Winchester st Brookline
Occupation General Mgr
Place of business 112 Water st Boston
Member of Beth horen Lodge Brookline & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Charles A Watts

Comp. Royal Angelo Sadler
Residence 652 Mass Ave Boston
Occupation Physician
Place of business 652 Mass Ave Boston
Member of Zetland Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Richard Ray Jr & Harold W Martin

Letter

The following letter was received from the Commander of DeMolay
Commandery.

Nov. 1, 1923

George T Wiley, Commander,
Boston Commandery No 2, K. T.
82 Lincoln st, Boston, Mass.
Eminent and dear Sir:-

It becomes my distinct privilege at this time to attempt to properly describe to you the full measure of appreciation of DeMolay Commandery, #7, for the beautiful expression of sentiment shown by Boston Commandery in its splendid gift presented to DeMolay Commandery on the occasion of their 75th Anniversary.

I cannot recall a token that could more appropriately or fittingly call to our minds an organization which we so highly honor and revere, and from whose fraternal associations DeMolay has gained so many inspirations in the past.

Certainly you are to be commended for this splendid tribute. Allow me to convey to our Mother Commandery this warmest expression of the sincere appreciation of DeMolay.

With cordial regards and best wishes,

Couretsouly yours

Theodore R Lockwood
Commander

The Commander received a letter from the Triennial Committee of 36th Triennial Conclave to be held in Seattle, Washington, in July 1925.

Also the Commander read a letter from Mrs. H. Parker Whittington soliciting donations for the Children's Hospital.

Ladies Night

It was voted that ladies Night be held, and a Committee appointed to make suitable arrangements, and the Council of the Commandery to have full powers.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths

Sir Knight Richard Hapgood	Knighthd June 17, 1896	Died Nov 10, 1923
Sir Knight Albert J A Hamilton	" June 18, 1913	" Nov 7 1923

The following Past Commanders were present.

Rt Em Sir James S Blake
Em Sir Eugene A Holton
Em Sir George U Bauer
Em Sir Charles W Howard
Em Sir Frederick C Graves

The Commander announced that Sir Knight Harold G Mitchell was seriously ill at Charlesgate Hospital.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form

A true Record
Attest

Joseph W Work
Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday December 19, 1923

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Sidney Hedges Baylor
Comp. George Melville Devoe
Comp. Harry Leon Harding
Comp. Wilhelm Edwin Lundquist
Comp. Richard Charles Lichtenstein Jr
Comp. Alton Lombard Miller
Comp. Clifford Gilbert Miller
Comp. James Sullivan Robinson
Comp. Reginald Gilchrist Sykes
Comp. Roy Angelo Sadler

Release of jurisdiction

No release of jurisdiction was received on Companion Alden Leland 365 High st, Dedham, Mass., from Cyprus Commandery, Hyde Park.

Petitions

The following petitions were received and read.

Comp. Charles Edwin Achuff
Residence 64 Brayton Rd Brighton
Occupation Manager of Matthews Gravity Carrier Company
Place of business 44 Bromfield st Boston
Member of Mizpah Lodge Cambridge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest A Telfer & Frederick L Briggs

Comp. Charles Ernest Griffiths
Residence 73 Putnam st East Boston
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 34 Oliver st Boston
Member of Baalbec Lodge East Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth
 Residence 22 Tremlet st Dorchester
 Occupation Treas H L Hildreth Company
 Place of business 549 Albany st Boston
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Hiram Champney Hughes
 Residence 64 Brighton Ave Brighton
 Occupation Foreman
 Place of business 26 Otis st East Cambridge
 Member of Bethesda Lodge Brighton & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Nicholas Bechtel

Comp. Joseph Myles Kinsman
 Residence 3 Hancock st Somerville
 Occupation Fur salesman
 Place of business 364 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Seaview Lodge Revere & Shekinah R A Chapter Chelsea
 Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Winfield O Nourse

Comp. John Boyd Kirkpatrick
 Residence 19 Linden Ave Belmont
 Occupation Insurance
 Place of business 115 Water st Boston
 Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
 Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A Goodale & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. Alden Leland
 Residence 365 High st Dedham
 Occupation Life Insurance
 Place of business Rm 1034 Old South Bldg Boston
 Member of Mt Hollis Lodge Holliston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight Cecil K Maxwell & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. Charles Wellington McGary
 Residence 429 Mass Ave Boston
 Occupation Superintendent for H L Hildreth Company
 Place of business 549 Albany st Boston
 Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. William Chester Tench
 Residence 14 Hamilton Rd Brookline
 Occupation Eastern Manager Larrabee Flour Corporation
 Place of business 131 State st Boston
 Member of Faith Lodge & Signet R A Chapter Charlestown
 Recommended by Sir Knights William H Sanger & Silas H Bunce

Comp. Frank Alonzo Wheeler
 Residence 126 Bowdoin st Boston
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business Merchants National Bank Boston
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight Alfred B Walton & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

For Membership

Sir Knight Leo Emanuel Bovar
Residence 255 Tremont st Boston
Occupation Hotel Proprietor
Place of business 255 Tremont st Boston
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Dimmited from Boston Commandery K T Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Walter B Tripp & Sir Knight Joseph W Work

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight William A Campbell	Knighted Dec 15, 1909	Died Dec 15 1923
Sir Knight George S Littlefield	" June 18, 1884	" Nov 1923
Sir Knight Willis Henry Lowe	" June 18, 1913	" Nov 28, 1923

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened, and the following Companions were introduced and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O Clark Generalissimo.

Comp. Sidney Hedges Baylor
Comp. George Melville DeVoe
Comp. Harry Leon Harding
Comp. Ralph Davis Joslin
Comp. Ralph Edgar Joslin
Comp. Richard Charles Lichtenstein Jr
Comp. Wilhelm Edwin Lundquist
Comp. Alton Lombard Miller
Comp. Clifford Gilbert Miller
Comp. George Parker Oviatt
Comp. Nicholas Alexander Mannix
Comp. James Sullivan Robinson
Comp. Roy Angelo Sadler
Comp. Reginald Sykes
Comp. Alden Kendall Wood

Guests

The following guests were received and introduced.

Em. Commander Theodore R Lockwood, Generalissimo Leon L Allen,
Capt General Walter A Smith, Past Em Commander Irving G Findlay, Past
Em Commander Charles J Corwin all of DeMolay Commandery, Boston.
Em Commander Charles W Pike of St Omar Commandery

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall and after dining enjoyed and entertainment furnished by the Officers.

Resume business

The Commandery resumed business and finished the ceremonies of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been closed a Priory was opened and the Order of Malta was communicated upon the above named Companions under the direction of Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Captain of the Guard.

The Priory was closed at 9:40 P. M.

Past Commanders Present

The following Past Commanders were present.

Em. Sir Frederick T. Comee
Em Sir Jesse E Ames
Em Sir George U Bauer
Em Sir Charles W Howard
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed at 9:45 P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. W. W.

Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 16, 1924.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Edwin Achuff
Comp. Charles Ernest Griffiths
Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth
Comp. Hiram Champney Hughes
Comp. Joseph Myles Kingsman
Comp. John Boyd Kirkpatrick
Comp. Alden Leland
Comp. Charles Wellington McGary
Comp. William Chester Tench
Comp. Frank Alonzo Wheeler

For Membership

Sir Knight Leo Emanuel Bova

Petitions

The following petitions were read

Comp. Frank Leslie Colby
Residence 12 Plaistead Rd Dorchester
Occupation Engineer
Place of business 144 High st Boston
Member of Baalbec Lodge & St John s R A Chapter E Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Frank S Treco & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Andrew Merton Keity
Residence 104 Pedwer Houde Blvd W Somerville
Occupation Conductor B & M RR
Place of business Somerville
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A Brigham & Francis B White

Comp. Charles Albert Ladd
 Residence 179 Bradstreet Ave Revere
 Occupation Clothing salesman
 Place of business 77 Bedford st Boston
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Samuel M Best

Comp. C. Freeman Olsen
 Residence 5 Lewis Rd Winchester
 Occupation Investment Banking
 Place of business 200 Devonshire st Boston
 Member of William Parkam Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Einchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frederick L Ward & Joseph W Work

Comp. Frank Merton Peck
 Residence 39 Champney st Brighton
 Occupation Accountant
 Place of business 115 Portland st Boston
 Member of Bethesda Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Charles H Farnham

Comp. Albert Chittick Rigby
 Residence 2 Carleton st Boston
 Occupation Surveyor
 Place of business Town Hall Brookline
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight George E Dennett & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Arthur George Sabin
 Residence 332 Revere st Winthrop
 Occupation Band salesman
 Place of business 200 Devonshire st Boston
 Member of Seaview Lodge Revere & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Fred P Haywood & Davis T Keever

Comp. John William Thornton
 Residence 42 Wickfield Rd W Somerville
 Occupation Shoe salesman
 Place of business 137 Lincoln st Boston
 Member of Somerville Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Robert G Wilson

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths

Sir Knight Alfred P Chronquist	Knighted May 18, 1921	Died Jan 1 1924
Sir Knight Joseph S Parker	" Dec 17, 1891	" Dec 25, 1923
Sir Knight Frederick H Hager	" June 19, 1895	" Dec 21 1923
Sir Knight George R Weatherby	" Mar 22, 1899	" Jan 4 1924

Release of jurisdiction

Voted a release of jurisdiction to the Grand Commandery of Maine
 on Companion Henry F Marson of Somerville, Mass. to Maine Commandery
 #1 Gardner, Maine.

Reception

The Em Commander introduced to the Commandery Em Sir Frederick Huntington Briggs, Grand Sword Bearer of the Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, also Division Commander of the Fourth Division. He, being a Past Commander of Boston Commandery was heartily greeted by the Sir Knights present.

Report of the Sick

Harry Raamason of Allston was reported very ill.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the Banquet Hall, where they were entertained after partaking of the collation.

Work

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon the following Companions who had received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta.

Comp. Sidney Hedges Baylor
Comp. George Melvin DeVoie
Comp. Harry Leon Harding
Comp. Ralph Davis Joslin
Comp. Ralph Edgar Joslin
Comp. Richard Charles Lichtenstein
Comp. Wilhelm Edwin Lundquist
Comp. Nicholas Alexander Mannix
Comp. Alton Lombard Miller
Comp. George Parker Oviatt
Comp. James Sullivan Robinson
Comp. Roy Angelo Sadler
Comp. Reginald Gilchrist Sykes
Comp. Alden Kendall Wood
Comp. Clifford Gilbert Mille

Business was resumed in the Commandery at 8:20 P. M. and the balance of the Companions received the Order of the Temple.

The Em. Commander was assisted by Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs and the Rt Em Sir James S. Blake.

Past Commanders Present

The following Past Commanders were present at this Conclave.

Rt. Em Sir James S Blake
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Em Sir Eugene A Holton
Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir Charles W Howard

Letters received acknowledging flowers

Sir Knight Leon M Abbott
Sir Knight William Merritt
Sir Knight Charles A Coe
Sir Knight F. A. MacCheffray
Mrs. Mildred Hager
Mrs. Ethelind W Low
Mrs. Helen Parker

Work

The ceremonies connected with the conferring of the Order of the Temple on the above named Companions having been finished, the Commander requested the Sir Knights to step to the Recorder's desk and sign the By-Laws where they would be made members of Boston Commandery. After doing so, they were informed that diplomas would be forwarded to them.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed at 10:40 P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph Herborn

Record

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The Aslyum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday February 20, 1924

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Election of candidates

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Frank Leslie Colby
Comp. Andrew Merton Kelty
Comp. C. Freeman Olsen
Comp. Frank Merton Peck
Comp. Albert Chittick Rigby
Comp. Arthur George Saben
Comp. John William Thornton

The application of Companion Charles Albert Ladd, received full and favorable report from the Committee appointed, but the release of jurisdiction was refused by Palestine Commandery K T of Chelsea, Mass., they having jurisdiction over him as he was a resident of Revere.

Letters

Letters were read from Em. Sir Frederick T. Comee and Em. Sir Walter B. Tripp expressing their appreciation for flowers and sympathy.

Release

^{given}
A release was unanimously, to the Hugh de Paynes Commandery of Melrose, Mass. on Companion Arthur Francis Hopkins of 64 Bowe rs st West Medford.

The release requested from Gethesame Commandery of Newtonville on Companion Charles S Panoſian of Newton was refused.

Dimit

A dimit was granted to Sir Knight John R Vaughan of Winthrop, Mass., he being square on the books.

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Herbert Henry Aucock
Residence 10 Aspin st Roxbury
Occupation Automobile electrician
Place of business 185 Columbus Ave Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Lloyd E Webster

Comp. Alexander Bender
Residence 67 Payson Rd Belmont
Occupation Dealer in Immersoling
Place of business 183 Essex st Boston
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry D Wiegner & Archie W Farrell

Comp. Thomas Franklin Brown
Residence 142 Powder House Blvd West Somerville
Occupation Pres & Treas
Place of business 325 Powder House Blvd Glendale Filling Sta W Somerville
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Homer R Norton & Joseph W Work

Comp. Albert Morehead Bruce
Residence 143 Sutherland Rd Brighton
Occupation Supt Colonial Filling Sta
Place of business 55 Beecham st Everett
Member of Mass Lodge & Signet R A Chapter Charlestown
Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth C Dunlop & Joseph W Work

Comp. Frederick Eitel Gunther
Residence 432 Beech st Roslindale
Occupation Confectionery salesman
Place of business 817 Kitredge st Roslindale
Member of West Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knight William R Cleary & Frank A Anderson

Comp. Joseph Earl Perry
Residence 18 Holt st Waverly
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business 185 Devonshire st Boston
Member of Mountain Lodge Sherburne Falls & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Owen D McClellan & Elmer G Page

Comp. Everett F Poland
Residence 68 Chestnut st Needham
Occupation Asst Supt
Place of business Poland Laundry Machinery Co Roxbury
Member of Norfolk Lodge Needham & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights W Waldo Van Ness & Frederick T Widner

Comp. Walter Frederick Spear
Residence 115 Temple st West Roxbury
Occupation salesman
Place of business 183 Essex st Boston

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Member of Winslow Lodge Boston & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Rohde & W Waldo Van Ness

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting, and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall, where they enjoyed not only the dinner furnished but an entertainment which lasted some hours.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business at 8:40 o'clock P. M.

Visitors

Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Generalissimo, introduced to the Commander and thru him they were introduced to the Commandery the Commander, Officers and Guards of St Albans Commandery K T of Portland, Maine, and they were heartily received by the Sir Knights of Boston Commandery.

Officers of St Albans Commandery

Em Sir C. C. Bolton
Gen. Henry T McCleary
Capt. Gen. Perley C. Dresser
Chaplin James A Waltman
Sen Warden John P Ayer
Jun. Warden C. Omar Porter
Recorder Em Sir Arthur J Floyd

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple and opened a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and the following candidates were introduced and the Order was conferred by the officers of St Albans Commandery of Portland, Maine, by request of the Commander of the Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Edwin Achuff
Comp. Charles Ernest Griffiths
Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth
Comp. Hiram Champney Hughes
Comp. Joseph Miles Kingsman
Comp. John Boyd Kirkpatrick
Comp. Alden Leland
Comp. Charles Wellington McGary
Comp. William Chester Tench
Comp. Frank Alonzo Wheeler
Comp. Frank Leslie Colby
Comp. Andrew Merton Kelty
Comp. C Freeman Olsen
Comp. Frank Merton Peck
Comp. Albert Chittick Rigby
Comp. Arthur George Sabin

Comp. John William Thornton.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having finished its work a priory was opened and the Order of Malta was conferred upon the above named Companions by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Captain General.

Upon request of the Grand Commandery of West Virginia Orders of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta was conferred upon Companion Guy Morgan Robertson of Glendenin West Virginia for Kanawha Commandery # 4 of Charlestown, West Virginia.

Order of Malta

The business of the priory and Order of Malta having been finished the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

It was reported that J. W. Churchill of Plymouth had been ill for some time.

The Commander in a very pleasant manner thanked the Commander and Officers of St Albans Commandery for their very efficient manner in which they conferred the Order of the Red Cross.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 11:30 o'clock P. M.

A True Record

Attest:



Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Monday, March 17, 1924

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 6 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization.

DINNER

The Commander announced that the dinner was in waiting and the Officers, repaired to the Banquet Hall.

WORK

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:15 o'clock P. M.

Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and received the Order of the Temple.

Comp. Charles Edwin Achuff
Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth
Comp. Hiram Champney Hughes
Comp. Joseph Miles Kinsman
Comp. John Boyd Kirkpatrick
Comp. Alden Leland
Comp. Charles Wellington McGary
Comp. William Chester Tench
Comp. Frank Alonzo Wheeler
Comp. Frank Leslie Colby
Comp. Andrew Merton Kelty
Comp. Christopher Freeman Olsen
Comp. Frank Merton Peck
Comp. Albert Chittick Rigby
Comp. Arthur George Saben

By request of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of West Virginia, the Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion Guy Morgan Robertson of Clendenin, West Virginia, for Kanawha Commandery #4 of Charleston, West Virginia.

Closing

There being no other business, the Commandery was closed in Form at 10:55 o'clock P.M.

Joseph W. W. W.
Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.,

Wednesday, March 19, 1924

Stated Conclave

The Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 3:30 o'clock with the full line of Officers.

Records

The Commander announced that the reading of the records at this time would be dispensed with.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Herbert Henry Aucock
Comp. Alexander Bender
Comp. Thomas Franklin Brown
Comp. Frederick Eitel Gunther
Comp. Joseph Earle Perry
Comp. Walter Frederick Spear

The application of Companion Albert Moorhead Bruce was referred to the next Conclave as the Committee did not report.

On the application of Everett F Poland of Needham, Mass, the release from Gethesemane Commandery was not received.

Release of Jurisdiction

A release of jurisdiction was given to the Bay State Commandery #38 K. T. Brockton, Mass., over Companion Tehyihsieh of 32 Gardner street, Allston, Mass.

In Memoriam

The communication from Rt Em Sir Charles R Hunt, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island In Memoriam of the Right Eminent Sir Everett Chamberlain Benton, Past Grand Commander, was read.

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Richard Gibson	Knighted June 15, 1904 Died 12/27/1923
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Sir Knight Harry A Rasmason Knighted March 14, 1921 Died 3/4/1924
Sir Knight Paul C Klein " May 16, 1900 " 3/11/1924

Work

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was conferred in Full Form upon Companion John William Thornton, he having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of the Temple.

Reception

Sir Knight Elmer G. Page, Warder, announced that the Grand Warder Em Sir E. Stanley Swift was in waiting.

The Grand Warder announced that the Rt Em Sir Charles R Hunt, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was in an adjoining apartment to make a Fraternal visit to Boston Commandery.

The Commander, Em Sir George T Wiley, expressed his pleasure that the Grand Commander was honoring Boston Commandery by his presence and a Committee would be appointed to await and escort him into the Asylum.

The following Past Commanders under the direction of the Generalissimo, Sir Knight Frank O Clark, were appointed as a Committee to wait upon the Grand Commander.

Em Sir Frederick T. Comee
 Em Sir Eugene A Holton
 Em Sir William B Lawrence
 Em Sir John H Bowker
 Rt Em Sir James S Blake
 Em Sir Jesse E Ames
 Em Sir Frederick C Graves
 Em Sir Joseph T Paul
 Em Sir George U Bauer
 Em Sir Charles W Howard
 Em Sir Walter Bradley Tripp
 Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

The Generalissimo introduced Rt Em Sir Charles R Hunt, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and he was heartily received by the Commandery through the introduction of the Em Commander.

The Grand Commander introduced as his suite Rt Em Sir James S Blake, Past Grand Commander, and Rt Em Sir William W Johnson, and they were invited to take seats in the East.

The Warder, Sir Knight Elmer G Page, announced the Deputy Grand Warder, Em Sir Charles W Henderson Jr who announced that the Very Em Sir Asa C Jewett, Deputy Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island was in waiting, and was desirous of visiting the Commandery for his Annual Inspection. The Commander

expressed his pleasure that the Very Em Sir Asa C Jewett was present and he would wait upon him with a Committee immediately.

A Committee of the Past Commanders under the escort of the Generalissime waited upon Very Em Sir Jewett, and presented him to the Commander who in a very affable manner introduced him to the Commandery.

The Very Em Sir introduced his suite comprised of eighty Past Commanders and Sir Knights.

Inspection

The Commander gave up his seat in the East to the Inspecting Officer, and he in turn commanded the Deputy Grand Warder to make the official count, which was as follows.

Members of the Commandery in uniform	322	
" not in uniform	000	
Visitors in uniform	19	
" not in "	19	
The suite of the Inspecting Officer	80	
Total		440

Work

Order of the Temple

The Inspecting Officer resigned his chair to the Commander, and the Officers proceeded to confer the Order of the Temple from the 5th Libation on Companion John William Thornton.

Official Mark

Assistant Grand Inspector Instructor Sir Knight James F. Higgins, announced that the official mark would be nine minus.

He congratulated the Commandery upon their excellent work, but not being able to have the required number of Sir Knights in line, of course, the rating was not as high as it would be otherwise.

The Inspecting Officer congratulated the Commander and Officers in their Exemplification of the work and also the condition of the Charter and the appearance of the records.

The Commander called upon the Rt Em Commander Charles R Hunt, and he spoke in a very flattering manner in regard to the work and appearance of the Commandery.

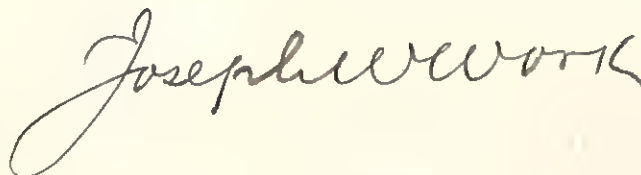
The Commander presented the Very Em Sir Asa C Jewett, and the Em Sir Charles W Henderson Jr., and Em Sir James F Higgins and Rt Eminent Sir Charles R Hunt with a appropriate souvenir of the occasion.

The Inspecting Officer having performed his duty announced to the Commander that he and his suite would retire, and the Deputy Grand Warder with the proper escort retired with the visiting Sir Knights.

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed in Form at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

Applications read

Comp. Charles Austin Bernard
Residence 55 Frost st Cambridge
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 177 High st Boston
Member of Zetland Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold W Martin & Richard Ray Jr

Comp. Fred Jacob Boehner
Residence 8 Estrella st Jamaica Plain
Occupation Musician
Place of business 8 Estrella st Jamaica Plain
Member of Eliot Lodge Jamaica Plain & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Warren & Wilbert Soule

Comp. Albert Moorhead Bruce
Residence 143 Sutherland Rd Brighton
Occupation Supt Colonial Filling Sta
Place of business 55 Beacham st Everett
Member of Mass Lodge & Signet R A Chapter Charlestown
Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth C Dunlop & Joseph W Work

Comp. Lawrence Stewart Carr
Residence 637 High st West Medford
Occupation Purchasing
Place of business Charles H Tenney & Co 200 Devonshire st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur G Saben and Frank P Spaulding

Comp. James MacDonald Currie
Residence 31 Whitfield Rd Somerville
Occupation Proprietor J M Currie Co Wholesale meats
Place of business 18 North st Boston
Member of Soley Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Alden Leland & Jesse E Ames

Comp. Frank Lothrop Gibby
 Residence 73 Madison Ave W Somerville
 Occupation Office Manager
 Place of business Chandler & Farquhar Co. 260 Devonshire st Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Joseph W Webb

Comp. Roscoe Brooks Holman
 Residence 5 Grovers Ave Winthrop
 Occupation Chief Clerk American Railway Express Co
 Place of business North Station
 Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank J Howard & Burton L Barstow

Comp. Walter Leonard Wilson
 Residence 49 Mountfort st Boston
 Occupation salesman
 Place of business 205 Lincoln st Boston
 Member of Merrimack Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Robert G Wilson

In Memoriam

Right Eminent Sir Everett Chamberlain Benton, Past Grand Commander

Born in Guildhall, Vt., September 25, 1862. Died in Belmont, Mass., February 4, 1924.

Rt. Eminent Sir Benton was the son of Judge Charles E. and Adda Chamberlain Benton. His ancestors on both sides came from England previous to 1700, his four great grandfathers serving in the Revolutionary War.

In 1882 he came to Boston and secured a position in the insurance house of John C Paige, and on the death of the founder became a part of its organization.

During the years 1895, 1896 and 1897 he served as an aid on Governor Greenhalge's staff, with the rank of Colonel, and in 1898 was elected a member of the Executive Council.

For a number of years he was prominent in the affairs of the Republican party; for eleven years on the State Committee; three years being chairman of Executive Committee; delegate to three National Conventions; and in 1904 being a delegate-at-large. He was president of the Beacon Society and a member of the Metropolitan Park Commission.

He was the author of the "History of Guildhall", a valuable and authentic authority, supplying much of the early history of the country as well as the town.

In 1901, he erected and presented to his native town a Public Library and Masonic Hall.

He was vice-president and trustee of the Belmont Savings Bank, vice president of the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange, and president and

director of the Northumberland Bridge Company.

He was a man who began life with only an opportunity, but who by indefatigable labor and industry built up a most successful business, being one who placed patriotism above partisanship; a wonderful man in his fraternal relations. He was a kindly and helpful neighbor, and one who had a deep sense of religion.

His burial was from the Park Street Church in Boston, the Rev Dr A. Z. Conrad, pastor of the Park Street Church, delivering a beautiful eulogy of the deceased.

Beautiful floral tributes banked the pulpit and covered the surrounding walls. The Masonic funeral rites were conducted by Most Worshipful Dudley H. Ferrell, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts.

Representatives of the State and City officials, business associates and Masonic delegates crowded the church, together with the relations and intimate personal friends.

Besides his wife, Colonel Benton, leaves three sons; the Attorney General of Massachusetts, Charles E., and Josiah H., and three daughters, Mrs. Carl E. Lonerer, of Minneapolis, Minn., Mrs. Mrs Edward E Wood Jr., of Belmont and Miss Hannah Slade Benton.

His Masonic affiliations were as follows:

He was raised a Master Mason in Simon W Robinson Lodge at Lexington in 1895, became a member of Waltham R A Chapter in 1896; of Boston Council of Royal and Select Masters in 1901; and of St Bernard Commandery in 1902.

He received the degrees of the Aincient and Accepted Scottish Rite in 1895, and received the 33rd degree in 1902.

He presided over Boston Council Royal and Select Masters from October 1904, to October 1905, was Eminent Commander of St Bernard Commandery in 1906, and Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts in 1906, and was Grand Master in 1912 and 1913. He was elected Commander-in-chief of Massachusetts Consistory in December 1906, for a term of three years.

He served this Grand Commandery as Grand Captain of the Guards in 1911; Grand Sword Bearer in 1912; Grand Junior Warden, 1914; Grand Senior Warden, 1915; Grand Captain General, 1916; Grand Generalissimo 1917; Deputy Grand Commander, 1918; and Grand Commander in 1919.

What here seems shadows, there will glow with light,
And all light's mysteries will stand revealed.
My brothers, it is good to live-to feel
Within our coursing veins the fire of life.
But better still to die, if, when we go,
In farmhouse, miner's hut and city street,
Men speak our names in praise, because we strove
Not for yourselves but for our fellow men.
And he who lived, think not of him as gone,
But rather that his spirit lives and moves
Among us yet, still urging us to strive

For high achievements, for the regnant life,
That comes to him who toils. In years to come,
More lasting than the deeply graven stone
Upreared above the portals of the pile
That, rising heavenward, his labor marks,
Will be the influence of his strong life
That strove for right, that yielded not to wrong.

It is hereby ordered that this memorial be read at the head of each
Commandery under our jurisdiction at the next Conclave after its receipt,
and that the altars, banners, and jewels be draped in mourning for the
space of thirty days.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Grand Commandery of
Massachusetts and Rhode Island this twenty-ninth day of February, 1924,
A. O. 806.

Charles R Hunt

Grand Commander

Attest

B W Rowell, Grand Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, April 16, 1924.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the Regular line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Austin Bernard
Comp. Fred Jacob Boehner
Comp. Albert Moorhead Bruce
Comp. Lawrence Stewart Carr
Comp. James MacDonald Currie
Comp. Frank Lothrop Gibby
Comp. Roscoe Brooke Holman
Comp. Walter Leonard Wilson

St Johns Day

On motion of Em Sir Charles W Howard it was unanimously voted that the Commandery would observe St John's Day, and the Council act as a Committee with full powers.

Ascension Day

Upon motion of Em Sir Charles W Howard it was unanimously voted to observe Ascension Sunday by attending Trinity Church, the Council being a Committee to make arrangements with full powers.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple, and a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross opened, and the following Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by the Generalissimo, Sir Frank O Clark.

Comp. Herbert Henry Aucock
Comp. Alexander Bender
Comp. Thomas Franklin Brown
Comp. Frederick Eitel Gunther

Comp. Joseph Earl Perry
Comp. Walter Frederick Spear
Comp. Charles Austin Bernard
Comp. Fred Jacob Boehner

Comp. Albert Moorhead Bruce
 Comp. Lawrence Stewart Carr
 Comp. James MacDonald Currie
 Comp. Frank Lothrop Gibbey
 Comp. Roscoe Brooke Holman
 Comp. Walter Leonard Wilson

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the lines were formed, and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall, where they enjoyed not only the dinner, but an entertainment furnished by Sir Knight William P Bullard.

Resumed business

The Commandery resumed business at 7:50 o'clock P. M. and the following petitions were read.

Comp. Walter Wesley Bates
 Residence 19 Pierce st E Milton
 Occupation Supt of Construction
 Place of business 34 Cornhill st Milton
 Member of Milton Lodge Milton & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Warren Bradford
 Residence 10 Joy st Boston
 Occupation Building Supt
 Place of business 10 Joy st Boston
 Member of Washington Lodge Roxbury & St Paul R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knight William W Griffin & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Malcolm Downes
 Residence 732 Broadway Somerville
 Occupation Clerk
 Place of business c/o F A Brewer Co 212 Summer st Boston
 Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank P Spaulding & William A Apel

Comp. Charles Augsutus Koerber
 Residence 1340 Comlth Ave Allston
 Occupation salesmanager
 Place of business 131 State st Rm 323 Boston
 Member of Shelby Lodge 350 Shelby Ohio & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Joseph W Work & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Donald Evans McIntyre
 Residence 83 Walnut st Winchester
 Occupation Contractor
 Place of business 74 Broad st Boston
 Member of Belmont Lodge Belmont & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights C Harry Bowler & Wyman W Smart

Comp. John William Schaeffer
 Residence 33 Longwood Ave Brookline
 Occupation Master Printer

Place of business 200 Franklin st Boston
Member of Germania Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Elmer C Read & Rt Em Sir James S Blake

Comp. Kurt Werner
Residence 27 Madison st W Medford
Occupation Prop Delicatessen Store
Place of business 137 Summer st Boston
Member of Charity Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knight W Harry Williams & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Henry Willett Wright
Residence 60 Westland Ave Boston
Occupation Restaurant Mgr
Place of business 41 Wimper st Boston
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Augustus F Howell & William P Bullard

The Companions who were entitled to the Ill Order of the Red Cross were received by the Em Commander George T Wiley and the following Sir Knights.

Rt Em Sir James S Blake
Em Sir George U Bauer

Em Sir Charles E Hull presented a candidate who was received by Rt Em Sir James S Blake.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having finished its business, a Priory was opened and the Order of Malta was conferred upon the above named Companions who had previously received the Order of the Red Cross, the ceremonies were conducted by the Capt General Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

The Ceremonies of the Order of Malta having been finished the Priory was closed at 9:40 P.M.

Letter

A letter was received from Sir Knight Christian F Koop from Rochester, Minn., he having journeyed from Cuba to the above named City for a surgical operation.

The Commander ordered flowers sent to him at the hospital.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed at 9:45 P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph E. W. W.
Recorder

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, May 21, 1924

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. William Warren Bradford
 Comp. Malcolm Downs
 Comp. Charles Augustus Koerber
 Comp. Donald Evans McIntyre
 Comp. John William Schaeffer
 Comp. Henry Willett Wright

The following application, having been reported by the Committee as favorable, a release of jurisdiction of Companion Walter Wesley Bates had not been received from Cyprus Commandery on this date.

The Committee on Companion Kurt Werner asked for further time.

Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and Order of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them.

Comp. Herbert Henry Aucock
 Comp. Alexander Bender
 Comp. Thomas Franklin Brown
 Comp. Charles Austin Bernard
 Comp. Fred Jacob Boehner
 Comp. Albert Moorhouse Bruce
 Comp. Lawrence Stewart Carr
 Comp. James MacDonald Currie
 Comp. Frank Lothrop Gibby
 Comp. Frederick Eitel Gunther
 Comp. Charles Ernest Griffiths
 Comp. Joseph Earl Perry
 Comp. Walter Frederick Spear

Comp. Walter Leonard Wilson
Comp. Roscoe Brook Holman

Commander's Jewell

On motion of Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs a Past Commander's jewell was voted to Commander George T Wiley to be presented at the next Conclave of Boston Commandery.

A Committee was appointed to obtain and present the same.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight William C Hall	Knighthd Dec 15, 1909	Died April 19, 1924
Sir Knight Charles H Spear	" Dec 18 1903	" " 22 "
Sir Knight William S Beardman	" June 15, 1892	" May 5 "

Past Commanders present

Em Sir Frederick T Comee
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir Eugene A Holton
Em Sir Frederick C Graves
Em Sir George U Bauer

Em Sir George T Everett of DeMolay Commandery
Em Sir Joseph W Hodgkins of St Bernard Commandery
Em Sir Gardner R P Barker of South Shore Commandery
Em Sir Frederick H Spring of Joseph Warren Commandery

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet Hall where they enjoyed an entertainment furnished by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Senior Warden.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 8:15 o'clock P. M.

Mount Olivet Chapter of the Rose Croix Delegation

The Commander requested the Generalissime to repair to the ante room under escort and to introduce the following Sir Knights being members of Mount Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix of the A & A S R, and they were
Em Sir Joseph T Paul

Em Sir Frederick C Graves

Em Sir Joseph W Hodgkins

Em Sir Gardner R P Barker

Em Sir Frederick H Spring

Sir Knights William Morris, Stephen F Johnson & Thomas H Bond

They were cordially received by the Commander and introduced to the Commandery and heartily received by them.

Conclave of 1925

Upon motion of Charles L Hamilton, Captain General, it was voted to attend the Conclave to be held in Seattle in 1925, and a proper Committee to be appointed to make arrangements.

Reception of candidates

The following Em Commanders assisted the Officers of Boston Commandery in receiving the candidates.

Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir Gardner R P Barker
Em Sir Joseph W Hodgkins
Em Sir George U Bauer

Closing

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed at 10:50 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph H. Warrick

Recorder

Release of Jurisdiction

Upon request from Hugh de Payens Commandery of Melrose a release of jurisdiction was unanimously granted over Companion Joseph Roulston Kingston of 34 Jackson Road, West Medford.

Letters

A letter was received from the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar of West Virginia thanking Boston Commandery for conferring the Orders upon Companion Guy Morgan Robertson for Kana-wha Commandery #4 of Charleston, West Virginia.

Letters were received from John A Hall and George A Hall and Herbert L Fenno for floral emblems received.

The following applications were read.

Comp Charles Thomas Aaren

Residence 132 Com'lth Ave Allston

Occupation Salesman

Place of business 31 Union st Walker, Pratt Mfg Co Boston

Member of Stephen Gerard Lodge, 450, Phil, Pa & St Andrews R A Chapter

Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Bartlett & Joseph W Work

Comp. John Marquis Andersen

Residence 508 Washington st Dorchester

Occupation Lieut of Police

Place of business Police Sta 3 Joy st Boston

Member of Dorchester Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Alden Leland & Frank L Warren

Comp. Philip Irving Bailey

Residence 49 Pice Ave Winthrop

Occupation Machinist

Place of business C E Clark & Co Everett

Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop

Recommended by Sir Knights George L H Stevensen & Lester E Stevensen

Comp. William Lorenxe Baker

Residence 91 Evertt st Arlington

Occupation Bookkeeper

Place of business 29 Sleeper st Boston

Member of Mispah Lodge Cambridge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Walter Wesley Bates

Residence 19 Pierce st E Milton

Occupation Superintendent of Construction

Place of business 34 Cornhill Old Colony Bldg Boston

Member of Milton Lodge Milton & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Louis Lehmann Briden

Residence 35 St Paul st Brookline

Occupation Dyestuffs

Place of business 359 Atlantic Ave Boston

Member of Beth-horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Amory Leland & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Harry Cooke Brown

Residence Winthrop

Occupation Shoe Mfg

Place of business 181 Lincoln st Boston

Member of Joseph Warren Lodge Boston & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop

Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Warren C Brown

Comp. Arthur William Clark

Residence 87 Francis st Brookline

Occupation District Mgr Wayne Tank & Pump Co

Place of business 110 Tremont st Boston

Member of Charity Lodge Cambridge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Lyman Linwood Copp
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business North Brookfield
 Member of Atlantic Lodge Atlantic & Mt Wollaston R A Chapter
 Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Eugene A Richardson

Comp. George Thomas Davidson
 Occupation Contractor
 Place of business Winchester
 Member of William Parkman Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights George E Pratt & Luther W Puffer Jr

Comp. Ernest Wallace Dolliver
 Residence 45 Peterboro st Boston
 Occupation Manager
 Place of business 38 Fish Pier Boston
 Member of Charity Lodge Cambridge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Walter R Dolliver and Harold M Sawyer

Comp. Arthur Clifford England
 Residence 34 Hartford st Dorchester
 Place of business 44 Midway st Boston
 Occupation Wholesale Grocer
 Member of Dorchester Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
 Recommended by Sir Knight Herbert L Kelley and En Sir George T Wiley

Comp. High Sears Ferguson
 Residence 3 Concord Ave suite 41 Cambridge
 Occupation Purchasing agent
 Place of business Dewey & Almy Chemical Company Cambridge
 Member of Fraternal Lodge Hyannis & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradbury & R Willard McCormick

Comp. William Hiram Hayes
 Residence 84 Fenway Boston
 Occupation Restaurateur
 Place of business 1040 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Mass Lodge Boston and Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Edward F Jacobs

Comp. Elmer John MacHarge
 Residence 192 Mystic Ave Somerville
 Occupation Druggist
 Place of business 146 Broadway Somerville
 Member of Seley Lodge and Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Francis Shaw & Frank L Morse

Comp. Leroy George McGeech
 Residence 69¹/₂ Boylston st Jamaica Plain
 Occupation Carpenter
 Place of business Cornhill Old Colony Trust Bldg
 Member of Eliot Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Robert Milne
 Occupation Builders Hardware
 Residence 75 Ocean st Dorchester
 Place of business 1 & 2 Haymarket Sq Boston

Member of Washington Lodge Roxbury & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbur G Hutchins & Nathaniel L Moore

Comp. James Meir

Residence 38 Tenowanda st Dorchester

Occupation Traveling salesman

Place of business New Britain Conn

Member of St Pauls Lodge and St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbur G Hutchins & Nathaniel L Moore

Comp. William Templeman Molley

Residence 15 Harvard Terr Boston

Occupation Investigator

Place of business 15 Harvard Terr Boston

Member of Adelphic Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Edward F Jacobs

Comp. Bert Henley Priddle

Residence 49 Pice Ave Winthrop

Occupation Carpenter & Builder

Place of business Winthrop

Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop

Recommended by Sir Knights George L H Stevenson & Lester E Stevenson

Comp. Robert M Pritchard

Residence 101 Kittredge st Roslindale

Occupation Salesman & Manager

Place of business 817 Albany st Boston

Member of West Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knights George P Oviatt & William R Cleary

Comp. Edmund Charles Sandersen

Residence 2 Dix st Winchester

Occupation Electrical Contractor

Place of business 6 Mt Vernon st Winchester

Member of William Parkman Lodge & Winchester R A Chapter Winchester

Recommended by Sir Knights George E Pratt & Edward O Hatch

Comp. Frederick John Schuh

Residence 95 Pembroke st Boston

Occupation Pastry Chef

Place of business S C Juards 1820 Washington st Boston

Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & Joseph W Werk

Comp. Robert Dunlap Starr

Residence 35 Hartford st Dorchester

Occupation Wool salesman

Place of business 192 Summer st Boston

Member of Dorchester Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sit Knight Herbert L Kelley and Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Melzer Henry Soule

Residence 138 Chandler st Boston

Occupation Training Officer U S Veterans Bureau

Place of business 600 Washington st Boston

Member of St John Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights William I Corthell & D Henry Childs

Comp. Kurt Werner

Residence 27 Madison st W Medford

Occupation Delicatessen Store

Place of business 137 Summer st Boston

Member of Charity Lodge and Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge

Recommended by Sir Knight E Harry Williams and Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Frederick Montague Williams

Residence 200 Woodville Ave Winthrop

Occupation Carpenter & Builder

Place of business Winthrop

Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop

Recommended by Sir Knights George L H Stevenson & Lester E Stevenson

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, June 18th, 1924.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 10 o'clock A M with the full line of officers, excepting Charles L Hamilton, Captain General. Em. Sir George U. Bauer acting Capt. General in his stead.

Ballotting

The Committees on the following applications for the orders having made favorable reports, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Thomas Aaron
Comp. John Marquis Anderson
Comp. William Lorenzo Baker
Comp. Walter Wesley Bates
Comp. Louis Lehmann Briden
Comp. Harry Cooke Brown
Comp. Arthur William Clark
Comp. George Thomas Davidson
Comp. Ernest Wallace Doliver
Comp. Arthur Clifford England
Comp. Hugh Sears Ferguson
Comp. William Hiram Hayes
Elmer John MacHarge
Comp. Leroy George McSeoch
Comp. Robert Milne
Comp. James Moir
Comp. William Templeman Molloy
Comp. Robert M Prichard
Comp. Edmund Charles Sanderson
Comp. Frederick John Schuh
Comp. Robert Dunlap Starr
Comp. Melzer Henry Soule
Comp. Kurt Werner

Committees on the following applications had presented favorable reports but releases had been refused and no action was taken.

Comp. Philip Irving Bailey
Comp. Lyman Linwood Copp
Comp. Bert Henry Priddle
Comp. Frederick Montague Williams

Work

The Commander then closed the Commandery on the Order of the

Temple and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened for the reception of Candidates.

The following Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by the Generalissimo Sir Frank O Clark.

Comp. Charles Thomas Aaron
 Comp. John Marquis Anderson
 Comp. William Lorenzo Baker
 Comp. Walter Wesley Bates
 Comp. Louis Lehmann Briden
 Comp. Harry Cooke Brown
 Comp. Arthur William Clark
 Comp. George Thomas Davidson
 Comp. Ernest Wallace Dolliver
 Arthur Clifford England
 Comp. Hugh Sears Ferguson
 William Hiram Hayes
 Comp. Elmer John MacHarge
 Comp. Leroy George McGeoch
 Comp. Robert Milne
 Comp. James Moir
 Comp. William Templeman Molloy
 Comp. Robert M Prichard
 Comp. Edmund Charles Samderson
 Comp. Frederick John Schuh
 Comp. Robert Dunlap Starr
 Comp. Melzer Henry Soule
 Comp. Kurt Werner

and David J. Bancroft for Superior
 Commandery, #25, Superior, Wisconsin

The work of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross being concluded a Priory was opened and the Order of Malta was conferred upon these thirty candidates as above enumerated by E. Sir George U Bauer.

The Ceremonies of the Order being concluded the Priory was closed and business was resumed in the Commandery.

NOTE

The above named thirty candidates were then conferred with the Order of the Temple and signed the By-Laws and became members of Boston Commandery with the exception of Sir Kt David J Bancroft who was Knighted for Superior Commandery #25 of Superior, Wisconsin.

Dinner

At 6 P. M. the Commander announced that dinner was in waiting and the Sir Knights formed in line and marched to the Banquet Hall and after enjoying the dinner were entertained for an hour by talent obtained by Sir Knight Bullard.

Records

Returning to the Asylum business was resumed and the records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The following applications were read

Comp. George Warren Austin

Occupation Packer

Place of business 28 Summer st BOSTON

Member of Zetland Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Richard Ray Jr & Harold W Martin

Comp. Harry Austin Campbell

Residence 248 Mass Ave Boston

Occupation Machinist

Place of business B & M Loco Repair shops Billerica

Member of Converse Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Myron J Hahn

Comp. Hugh Richmond Ferguson

Residence Hyannis

Occupation Hotel Proprietor

Place of business Hyannis

Member of Delta Lodge, Braintree and Orient R A Chapter Hyannis

Recommended by Sir Knights Frederick W McEnery & Joseph W Work

Comp. Henry Haeberle

Residence 64 Day st Jamaica Plain

Occupation Bank Clerk

Place of business 53 State st Atlantic Bank Boston

Member of Eliot Lodge, Jamaica Plain & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Alfred E Walton & Joseph W Work

Comp. Herbert Emil Heidrich

Residence 316 Huntington Ave Y-M C A Boston

Occupation Mechanical Inspector Nat Cash Reg Co

Place of business 14 High st Boston

Member of Mass Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Nicholas F Bechtel

Comp. Raymond Lang

Residence 225 Norfolk st Dorchester

Occupation Clergyman

Place of business Church of the Epiphany

Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Hans H M Borghardt & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Leonard Cliff Webb

Residence 10 Aspen st Roxbury

Occupation Clerk

Place of business U S Immigration Service E Boston

Member of King David Lodge, D C & St Andrews R A Chapter

Recommended by Sir Knights Herbert H Aucock & Arthur M Blades

Vacation

On motion of Em Sir Frederick H Briggs duly seconded it was voted to omit the regular Conclave of July and August.

Nominating Committee

On motion duly seconded it was voted that the Commander appoint a Nominating Committee to present a list of officers for the ensuing year.

Past Commanders Present

Em Sir Frederick T Comee
 Em Sir Eugene A Holton
 Em Sir Henry H Litchfield
 Em Sir Jesse E Ames
 Em Sir Frederick C Graves
 Em Sir George U Bauer
 Em Sir Charles W Howard
 Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Em Sir John Hollingsworth Past Com of Cyprus Commandery
 Em Sir George W Knowlton Past Com of Joseph Warren "
 Em Sir George T Everett " " DeMolay "
 Em Sir Lockwood Present Commander of " "

Took part in the work

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
 Em Sir Lockwood
 Em Sir John Hollingsworth
 Em Sir George T Everett
 Em Sir Frederick G Graves

Deaths reported

Sir Knight Albert E Wright
 Sir Knight Frank M Gilbreth

The Commander ordered a page in the records devoted to the memory of these Sir Knights.

The business of the Commandery being concluded the Commandery was closed at 10 o'clock P M

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Attest:

Recorder

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The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

The One Hundred and Nineteenth Annual Conclave

Wednesday September 17, 1924.

Members Meeting

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 5 o'clock P M with the regular organization excepting the Treasurer and Recorder.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. George Warren Austin
Comp. Harry Austin Campbell
Comp. Hugh Richmond Ferguson
Comp. Henry Haeberle
Comp. Herbert Emil Heibrich
Comp. Raymond Lang
Comp. Leonard Cliff Webb

Petitions

The following petitions for the Orders were read.

Comp. Everett Eugene Black
Residence 75 Appleton st Arlington
Occupation Leather salesman
Place of business Blaney st Salem
Member of Columbian Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights William A Coakley & William E Mason

Comp. Arthur Stewart Cameron
Residence 25 Warren Ave Somerville
Occupation Manager
Place of business 48 Union Sq Somerville
Member of King Solomon Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Francis B White & Josiah T Dyer

Comp Walter Earl Duncan
Residence 45 Lambert Ave Roxbury
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 40 Broad st Boston

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Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Dunlop & Joseph W Work

Comp. Payson Clark Francis
Residence Brandon Hall Beacon st Boston
Occupation Building Contractor
Place of business 178 Tremont st Boston
Member of Winslow Lodge Boston & Amity R A Chapter #100 N Y
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank H Briggs & Edward F Jacobs

Comp. John Willis Jackson
Residence 65 Kenwood st Dorchester
Occupation salesman
Place of business 336 Adams st Dorchester
Member of St Johns Lodge No Berwick Me and Dorchester R A Chapter Dor
Recommended by Sir Knights John L Eddy & Nathaniel L Moore

Comp. Vincent Joseph Pollina
Residence 54 Vernon st Brookline
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 261 Hanover st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Winfred L Nourse & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Ernest Jesseman Smith
Residence 500 Newbury st Boston
Occupation Retail Shoe Salesman
Place of business Jordan Marsh Co
Member of Sagadahew Lodge & Pentucket R A Chapter Haverhill
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Gordon H Wilson

Comp. Chester Francis Soule
Residence 44 Rosemont st Dorchester
Occupation Clerk
Place of business 221 State st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knight Francis A Smith & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Elmer Arthur Somerville
Residence 37 Tewksbury st Winthrop
Occupation Asst Mgr Pratt Coal Co
Place of business 27 Overland st Boston
Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank W Kittredge & Joseph W Work

Comp. Leonard Knight Thomas
Residence 75 Hamilton Ave Atlantic
Occupation salesman
Place of business 336 Adams st Dorchester
Member of Wollaston Lodge Wollaston & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights John L Eddy & Nathaniel L Moore

Letters

A letter was read from Mr & Mrs Lester E Smain acknowledging flowers and sympathy on account of their son Sir Knight Charles A Bernard who passed away August 15, 1924.

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Annual Reports

The following reports of the Armorer, Recorder, Trustees of the Permanent Fund and Charity Fund also the Finance Committee's report were read and upon motion of Past Commander Bowker it was voted to follow the usual procedure on all of the reports and inscribe them in the records.

(Exhibit)

Report of the Nominating Committee

Past Commander Frederick T Comtee made the following report.

For Officers for the ensuing year.

For Eminent Commander Sir Knight George T Wiley
For Generalissimo Sir Knight Frank O Clark
For Captain General Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton
For Senior Warden Sir Knight William P Bullard
For Junior Warden Sir Knight Robert G Wilson
For Prelate Em Sir Charles W Howard
For Treasurer Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades
For Recorder Sir Knight Joseph W Work
For Trustee for the Permanent and Charity Fund for three years
Em Sir Eugene A Holton

On motion of Past Commander John H Bowker, it was voted to accept the report of the Nominating Committee and proceed to ballot.

Commander Wiley relinquished the chair to Em Commander Frederick H Briggs who presided at the election.

The following Committees were appointed to distribute, collect and sort ballots.

Em Sir George U Bauer
Sir Knight Fred L Briggs
Sir Knight Wilbert Soule

The Committee reported that the total votes cast were 116 all for Em Sir George T Wiley.

The following Committee was appointed to notify Em Sir Wiley of his election. Em Sir Frederick T Comtee, chairman, Em Sir John H Bowker Em Sir Frederick C Graves Em Sir George U Bauer and Em Sir Charles W Howard.

Em Sir Wiley was presented by the chairman to Em Sir Frederick H Briggs who informed him of his election as Eminent Commander. Em Sir Wiley in accepting the office expressed his gratification of the confidence shown in him by this reelection. He realized the importance of the position and the responsibility resting upon the Commander and its officers. He also said he had enjoyed the work of the past year and had given of his best and would continue to do so.

Election of Generalissimo

The same Committee was appointed and reported that the total votes

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cast were 191 all for Sir Knight Frank O. Clark.

Sir Knight Clark was notified of his election by Em Sir Briggs and accepted the same saying that he was glad the members had confidence to continue him in this office.

Election of Captain General

The following Committee was appointed

Em Sir John H Bowker
Sir Knight J. W. Vose
Sir Knight Harry G Kirkland

The total votes cast were 216 all of which were for Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

Election of the following officers

Upon motion of Sir Knight Arthur N Hale, it was voted that the Recorder cast one ballot for the remaining officers.

The Recorder cast the ballot for the following Sir Knights.

For Treasurer Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades
For Recorder Sir Knight Joseph W Work
For Trustees of the Permanent and Charity Fund for three years
Eugene A Holton.
For Prelate Em Sir Charles W Howard
For Senior Warden William P Bullard
For Junior Warden Robert G Wilson

All those who were present accepted the election.

Commander Wiley resumed the chair and announced that the banquet was in readiness and they formed the lines with the officers, Sir Knights and Guests and marched to the Banquet Hall.

Boston Commandery Band gave a concert during the dinner.

Resumed business

The Commander resumed business at 7:50 o'clock P. M.

Delinquents

On motion of the Captain General it was voted that action on delinquents be deferred until the October Conclave.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since the last Conclave.

Sir Knight Charles A Bernard	Knighted 5/21/24	Died 8/15/24 ✓
" J Lodge Eddy	" 6/15/87	" 6/18/24 ✓
" Edgar R Kimball	" 6/21/82	" 7/15/24 ✓
" Clarence E Learned	" 12/18/01	" 8/28/24 ✓

Sir Knight Herbert S Potter	Knighthood 12/10/06	Dead	6/29/24 ✓
" Laban Pratt	" 5/16/66	"	7/17/24 ✓
" Edward O Blanchard	" 11/19/93	"	9/15/24 ✓

The Commander ordered a page in the records to their memory.

Installation of Officers

The officers as elected were installed by Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs assisted by Em Sir Charles W Howard.

Em Sir George T Wiley	Commander
Sir Knight Frank O Clark	Generalissimo
Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton	Captain General
Sir Knight William P Bullard	Senior Warden
Sir Knight Robert D Wilson	Junior Warden
Em Sir Charles W Howard	Prelate
Sir Knight John A Johnson	Standard Bearer
Sir Knight William I Corthell	Sword Bearer
Sir Knight Elmer G Page	Warder
Sir Knight Andrew P Cornwall	Surgeon
Sir Charles B Wood	Commissary
Sir Knight Albert B Hall	Quartermaster
Sir Knight Arthur M Blades	National Color Bearer
Sir Knight Richard Ray Jr	State Color Bearer
Sir Knight Josiah T Dyer	Armorer
Sir Knight Edward F Jacobs	Sentinel
Sir Knight Thomas M Carter	Musical Director
Sir Knight Eben H Bailey	Organist
Sir Knight John W Knowles	Orderly
Sir Knight Arthur N Hale	Capt of the Guard

Presentation of Jewell

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs presented to Em Sir George T Wiley a Past Commander's jewell, and the same was received by Commander Wiley with a very appreciative speech.

The usual proclamation was then declared and Em Sir Wiley resumed the chair.

The Commander spoke of the organization of a Bowling Team with Sir Knight Kenneth Campbell as Captain. Sir Knight Campbell said that he hoped for four or five teams would be formed to bowl each week.

Commandery Choir

Commander Wiley stated that he hoped during the present year to organize a Commandery Choir and asked for volunteers.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

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Attest:

Acting Recorder

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Boston, Sept. 17, 1924

Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of Boston Commandery K. T.

Armors Report

The paraphernalia of Boston Commandery in charge of the Armorer is as recorded in Armorer's record book.

Josiah T Dyer

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery

Your Recorder submits his Annual Report.

Number of members Sept 1923		1383
Admitted during the year		85
Affiliated		1
Reinstated		1
Total		<u>1470</u>
Less		
Dimitted	6	
Expelled	1	
Died	<u>28</u>	<u>35</u>
Total		1435
Present members		1435
Received	Cash	
Dues	8711.88	
Orders	7050.00	
Regalia	4600.00	
Life Membership	1200.00	
Membership & Reinstated	86.00	
Dinners	876.00	
Cases	121.00	
Traveling cards	3.50	
Interest on deposit	39.44	
Total		22687.82

All of which has been paid to Herbert A Rhoades, Treasurer as per receipt \$22687.82

Initiates

Horace Tracey Cahill
Henry Stanley Cushing
Robert Hooper Field

Amory Leland
Alvin Wood Puffer
Leon Hanscom Puffer

Luther Winthrop Puffer Jr
 Arthur Edgar Smith
 Chester Cameron Stewart
 Church Harold Storer
 Nicholas Alexander Mannix
 George Parker Oviatt
 Alden Kendall Wood
 Sidney Hedges Baylor
 George Melville De Voe
 Harry Leon Harding
 Wilhelm Edwin Lundquist
 Richard Charles Lichtenstein Jr
 Alton Lombard Miller
 Clifford Gilbert Miller
 James Sullivan Robinson
 Reginald Gilchrist Sykes
 Roy Angelo Sadler
 Ralph Davis Joslin
 Ralph Edgar Joslin
 Charles Edwin Achuff
 Charles Ernest Griffiths
 Herbert Alfred Hildreth
 Hiram Champney Hughes
 Joseph Miles Kingsman
 John Botd Kirkpatrick
 Alden Leland

Charles Wellington McGary

William Chester Tench

Frank Alonzo Wheeler

Frank Leslie Colby

Andrew Merton Kelty

Christopher Freeman Olsen

Frank Merton Peck

Albert Chittick Rigby

Arthur George Saben

John William Thornton

Herbert Henry Aucock

Alexander Bender

Thomas Franklin Brown

Frederick Eitel Gunther

Joseph Earl Perry

Walter Frederick Spear

Bernard Charles Austin

Fred Jacob Boehner

Albert Moorhead Bruce

Lawrence Stewart Carr

James MacDonald Currie

Frank Lothrop Gibby

Roscoe Brooks Holman

Walter Leonard Wilson

William Warren Bradford

Malcolm Downes

Charles Augustus Koerber

Donald Evans McIntire

John William Schaeffer

Henry Willett Wright

Charles Thomas Aaron

John Marquis Anderson
 William Lorenzo Baker
 Walter Wesley Bates
 Henry Cooke Brown
 Arthur William Clark
 George Thomas Davidson
 Ernest Wallace Dolliver
 Arthur Clifford England
 Hugh Sears Ferguson
 William Hiram Hayes
 Elmer John MacHarg
 Leroy George McGeoch
 Robert Milne
 James Moir
 William Templeman Molloy
 Robert Marsh Pritchard
 Edmund Charles Sanderson
 Frederick John Schuh
 Robert Dunlap Starr
 Melzer Henry Soule
 Knut Swanson
 Louis Lehmann Briden

Affiliation

Charles Muzzy Berry
 Leo Emanuel Bova

Dimitted

Sherman A Jubb
 Oscar L LeBart
 Tracey H Tucker
 Bancroft C Davis
 Amos W Crooks
 John Robert Vaughan

Expelled

George Fickeissen

Deceased

Herman Bird	
Frank A Kidder	
George C Brooks	Life
Edward C Matherson	"
J Arthur Jacobs	"
George S Littlefield	"
Willia-wJ Lane	"
Richard Hapgood	"
Albert A J Hamilton	
William A Campbell	"
Frederick H Hager	
Joseph S Parker	

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Richard Gibson
 William P Edgar
 Alfred P Chronquist
 Paul C Klein
 Harry A Rasmason
 George R Weatherby Life
 Josiah R Teel "
 William C Hall
 Charles H Spear
 William S Boardman
 Albert E Wright
 J Lodge Eddy "
 Herbert S Potter
 Edgar R Kimball
 Laban Pratt "
 Howard A Mitchell

Joseph W Work

Recorder

Boston Commandery K T

Sept 17, 1924

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of Boston Commandery
 Your Finance Committee submits herewith their Annual Report.

We have examined the books of the Recorder, Treasurer, and Trustees
 and find them correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements.

The Treasurer had on hand September 1st, 1923	3515.66	
Received from all sources	29322.50	
	<u>33838.16</u>	
Paid out per order of the Proper Officers	31251.92	
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer	<u>2586.24</u>	
	33838.16	?

Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Receipts

1923

Oct 15	Commanders Fund	563.33
1924		
Feb 26	Reading Co & Phil C & I Co Bonds Exchanged	
June 30	Int returned Reading Co Bonds	
	" Phil & Read C & I Bonds	
Aug 31	" Electric securities "	

Income

Coupons	Atch Top & S Fe RR	400.00
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Amer T & T Co		200.00
Balt & Ohio		120.00
Boston Elevated		225.00
"		120.00
B & A		160.00
B & M		40.00
"		150.00
Chic Bm & Quin		120.00
Chic R I & Pac		80.00
Denver & Rio Grande		120.00
Eastern Mass St Ry		90.00
"		6
Edison Elect Ill Co		110.00
Electric Securities	7	100
"	10	24.17
L S & Mich So		160.00
N Y Centl		180.00
N Y Tel		90.00
Pacific		80.00
Oregon & Wash		80.00
Pacific St & Power		100.00
Penn RR		80.00
Phil & Read Coal & Iron		24.09
Reading Co		43.19
So Cal Edison		100.00
Gt L & San Fran Equip		150.00
Union Pacific		80.00
U S 1st 4 $\frac{1}{4}$		170.00
" 3rd "		85.00
" 4th "		106.25
" Gold 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1927		79.52
Upper Ccos		80.00
Western Union		100.00
Wilmington Elect		50.00
Reading Co & Phil & Read C & I		60.00
Dividend Pere Marquette Common Stk		132.00
Int on Bal 1st Walt Bank		6.46
" ComL Security Walt Bk		13.11
Dividend Medford Savings Bank		120.83
" Boston Penny Savings Bank		82.95
		4318.57

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Life Membership	1200.00
10% Receipts	1524.79
	<hr/> 10610.24

Expenditures

1923		
Sept 1	Balance overdrawn	244.79
Oct 25	Invested Commanders Fund	
	\$500 Federal Land Bank 4 $\frac{3}{4}$	500
	Int on same accrued	7.52
	Deposited in Boston Penny Sav Bk <u>55.81</u>	563.33
Dec 5	Deposited in Boston Penny Sav Bk	245.33

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1924	Bought 1000 Elect Securities Ss	960.00	
Feb 7	Interest 6ds	83	960.83
27	Exchanged 2000 Reading Co 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	2000.00	
	Interest	1.81	2001.81
	Exchanged 1000 Phil & Read C & I 5s	1000	
	Int	91	1000.91
Aug 31	Paid Commandery Income		4318.57
	Medford Savings Bank Deposit		120.83
	Boston Penny Savings Bank "		82.95
	Balance Commercial Security Nat Bank		1070.89
			10610.24

Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

Income

Coupons U S Treas Notes	47.50
Am Tel & Tel	100
N Y Centl	120.00
Dividends Boston Penny Savings Bank	20.50
Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bank	298.00

Fund consists of

Am Tel & Tel Coll Tr 5s 1946	2000
N Y Centl Gold Deb 6s 1935	2000
U S Treasury Notes Series A 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1925	1000
Book 148394 Boston Penny Savings Bank	706.78

Total of Funds 5706.78

Courteously submitted

George T Wiley
Joseph T Paul
Herbert A Rhoades

Trustees of Charity Fund

Permanent Fund Consists of

Am T & T Coll Tr 4s 1929	5000.00
Atch Top & S Fe RR Gen Mtg 4s 1995	10000.00
Baltimore & Ohio 1st Mtg 1948	3000.00
Boston Elevated Gold 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1941	5000.00
" 6s 1933	2000.00
Boston & Albany Imp 4s 1933	4000.00
Boston & Maine 4s 1926	1000
" Mtg 6s 1930	1500
Chic Bur & Quin Neb Ext Mtg 4s 1927	3000
Chic Rock Island & Pac 1st Ref Mtg 4s 1934	2000
Denver & Rio Grande 1st cons Mtg 4s 1936	3000
Eastn Mass St Ry Rf Mtg series A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1948	2000
" D 6s 1948	100

Edison Elect Ill Gold Notes 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1925	2000.00
Electric Securities 7th series 5s 1939	2000.00
" 10 5s 1941	1000.00
Lake shore & Mich So Gold Deb 4s 1928	4000.00
N Y Centl Gold Deb 6s 1935	3000
N Y Telephone 1st Gen Mtg 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1939	2000
Northern Pac Prior Lien & Land Gr 4s 1997	2000
Oregon & Wash RR & N Co 1st Mtg series A 4s 1961	2000
Pacific Light & Power Co 1st Mtg Gold 5s 1942	2000
Perm R R Con Mtg 4s 1948	2000
Phil & Reading Coal & Iron Ref Mtg Gold 5s 1973	1000
Reading Co Gen & Ref Mtg series A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1997	2000
So Cal Edison Gen Mtg 5s series 1919-1944	2000
St Louis San Francisco Equipment series AA 5s 1934	3000
Union Pac C gold 4s 1927	2000
U S 1st 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1947	4000
" 3 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1928	2000
" 4th 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ 1938	2500
" Gold note 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1927	2000
Upper Coos 4s 1930	2000
Western Union Coolt Trust 5s 1938	2000
Wilmington City Electirc 1st Mtg 5s 1951	1000
Pere Marquette RR Common stock 33 shares	
Medford savings bank bk Wc 6456	2776.32
Boston Penny Savings Bank Bk 83476	2070.63
Pere Marquette Common stock sc \$78.00	
Balance in Commercial Security Nat Bank	<u>1070.89</u>
Total Investments	96017.84

Courteously submitted

George T Wiley
Joseph T Paul
Herbert A Rhoades

Trustees Permanent Fund

Commanders Fund Account

1923		
Oct 15	Received from Em Sir Briggs	563.32
	Income Federal Land Bank Bond	16.23
	Interest repaid	7.52
	Income Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>1.17</u>
		588.25

Expenditures

1923		
Oct 25	Bought \$500 Federal Land Gr Bond	500
	Interest	7.52
27	Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bk	55.81
	Income Deposited in Boston Penny Sav Bk	<u>24.92</u>
		588.25

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Fund consists of

Federal Land Bank Bond 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1953	500
Book No 157566 Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>80.73</u>
	580.73

Courtesy submitted

George T Wiley
Joseph T Paul
Herbert W Rhoades

Trustees

Charity Fund

Receipts

Dividends Malden Savings Bank	6880.00
Boston Penny Sav Bank	34.17
Dorchester Savings Bank	51.28
Chelsea Savings Bank	81.56
Warren Inst for Savings	67.42
Charlestown Five Cent Sav Bk	81.96
Home Savings Bank	71.10
Cambridge Sav Bank	81.50
Brighton Five Cent Sav Bank	5.48
East Boston Savings Bank	86.13
Donation Mary A Sawyer	50.00
Golf prize money returned donated	5

Expenditures

Payments to sundry persons as per vouchers	392.67
Balance deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bk	205.60
Deposit in E Boston Savings Bank	<u>86.13</u>
	684.40

Fund is as follows

Boston Penny Savings Bank Bk 89162	641.91
Brighton Five Cent "	122.64
Cambridge "	1630.84
Chelsea "	1631.14
Charlestown "	1639.18
Dorchester "	1282.98
East Boston "	1787.68
Home "	1580.20
Malden "	1376.36
Warren Int for savings 86250	<u>1498.22</u>

Total of Fund

13191.05

Courtesy submitted

George T Wiley
Joseph T Paul
Herbert A Rhoades

Trustees Charity Fund

Treasurer's report

Receipts

Balance Sept 1, 1923		3515.66
Orders		7050.00
Membership		50.00
Life Membership		1200.00
Annual Dues		8747.88
Regalia		4600.00
Interest on balances		
Lst Nat Bank	38.72	
Com Security Nat Bk	61.01	
Recorder	<u>39.44</u>	139.17
Rent of piano		
1923	13.66	
1924	<u>7.72</u>	21.38
Dinners		969.
Cases		121
Traveling cards		3.40
Ladies Night		1330.00
St Johns Day		1772.00
Trustees Permanent Fund		
Income		<u>4318.57</u>
		33838.16

Expenditures

Rent		4200
Em Commander sword		175
Flowers		125
Regalia	paid for	4313.40
	returned	400
		4713.40
c/o Golf Tournament		122.30
c/o Bowling		4.50
Paraphernalia & repairs		235.25
Prelate robe etc		98.00
White robes		105.00
De Molay Anniversary		
	139.13	
Band Sunday	176.00	315.13
Past Commanders Portrait		10.00
Repairing seal		12.00
Insurance		186.55
Rent Safe Deposit Box		10.00
Fees returned		600.00
Installations presents		8.00
Inspection Presents		15.60
Souvenir Portland Trip		125.00
Wedding present Recorder		50.00
Moving Piano		4.50
Entertainment at meetings		322.00
Seaming banners		2.00

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Sundries		3.00
Commissary's salary 2 years		100.00
Armorer		
Salary	500	
Telephone	27.	
Meetings	60	
Keys in Armory	11.45	
Sundries	<u>17.55</u>	616.00
Sentinel salary		82.00

Recorder		
Salary	500	
Rent of office	84	
Telephone	24	
Copying records	25	
Engraving diplomas	42.50	
Mailing tubes	10.40	
Sundries	<u>49.97</u>	735.87

Printing, postage & supplies		1827.71
Cigars		641.40
Collations		5219.35
Music at meetings		189

Funerals		
Flowers	230.00	
Burial	49.61	
Armorer	20.00	
Music	125.00	
Taxi	60.00	
Advertising	<u>25.50</u>	510.11

Ladies Night

Commander's Portrait	6.00	
Printing	222.50	
Grand Lodge Rent	120.00	
Music	72.60	
Candy	134.00	
Collation	1200.00	
Entertainment	30.00	
Decorations	25.00	
Flowers	80.00	
Tips carriage etc	72.30	
Piano	<u>20.00</u>	1982.90

Ascension Sunday

Printing	39.50	
Music Band	233.75	
Copley Plaza	431.00	
Grand Lodge Rent	<u>50.00</u>	754.25

St John's Day

Chatham Bars Inn	1608.20
Refund on Autos	78.00

Tips prizes etc	131.94	
Postage	5.50	
Stage	2.63	
Peanuts	3.40	
Candy	<u>19.14</u>	1848.81

B W Rowell Grand Recorder

85 Candidates	425.00	
Grand Commandery dues	717.50	
Grand Encampment assessment	<u>1435.00</u>	2577.50

Trustees Permanent Fund

Life Membership Fees	1200.00	
10% receipts	<u>1524.79</u>	2724.79
		31251.92
Balance		<u>2586.24</u>
		33838.16

Assets of Commandery

Permanent Fund	96017.84
Charity Fund	13191.05
Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund	5706.78
Commanders Fund	580.73
General Fund Cash Balance	<u>2586.24</u>

and

33 shares Pere Marquette Common stock worth about	2000.00
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Herbert A Rhoades

Treasurer

Boston Commandery

Sept 17, 1924

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of Boston Commandery
Your Finance Committee submits herewith their Annual Report.

We have examined the books of the Recorder, Treasurer and Trustees
and find them correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements.

The Treasurer had on hand September 1, 1923
Received from all sources

3515.66
<u>29322.50</u>
33838.16

Paid out per order of the Proper Officers
Balance in the hands of the Treasurer

31251.92
<u>2586.24</u>
33838.16

#9/17/24
6Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Balance on hand in the hands of the Trustees Sept 1, 1923	92997.84
The Permanent Fund on Sept 1, 1924	<u>96017.84</u>

This shows an increase of \$3020.00	3020.00
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The Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund

The amount of funds in the hands of the Trustees Sept 1, 1923	5418.78
The fund on Sept 1, 1924	<u>5706.78</u>

Showing an increase of	288.00
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Charity Fund

The Charity Fund held by the Trustees Sept 1, 1923	
The Charity Fund Sept 1, 1924	13191.05

Making a gain of	291.73
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Commander's Fund

Oct 15, 1923 was	563.33
The fund Sept 1, 1924 was	<u>580.73</u>
Increase	17.40

The assests of the Commandery are as follows:-

Permanent Fund	96617.84
Charity Fund	13191.05
Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund	5706.78
Commanders Fund	580.73
General Fund Cash Balance	<u>2566.24</u>
Total	118082.64

Increase during the year	3251.04
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Finance Committee

George T Wiley
Frank O Clark
Charles L Hamilton

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday October 15, 1924

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 4 o'clock P. M. with the full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications Ballotted upon

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Everett Eugene Black
Comp. Arthur Stewart Cameron
Comp. Walter Earl Duncan
Comp. Payson Clark Francis
Comp. John Willis Jackson
Comp. Vincent Joseph Pollina
Comp. Ernest Jesseman Smith
Comp. Chester Francis Soule

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since the last Conclave.

Sir Knight Andrew W Preston	Knighted June 19, 1889	Died Sept 26 1924 ✓
Sir Knight Frederick S Brine	" May 22 1905	" Sept 17, 1924 ✓
Sir Knight William A Moffitt	" April 15 1896	" Oct 5 1924 ✓
Sir Knight Andrew J Scorer	" Dec 15 1909	" Sept 14 1924 ✓

I cannot say, and I will not say
They are just dead, they are just away.
With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand
They have wandered into an unknown land
And left us dreaming how very fair it needs must be
since they linger there.
Think of them still as the same I say,
They are not dead they are just away.

Also reported that Sir Knight Francis E Page Ill at Hartford Hospital
Hartford, Conn.

Letters

Letters were received from Mrs Dorothy L Glidden acknowledging the receipt of flowers from the family of Sir Knight Clarence E Learned.

Also from Sarah A Blanchard on account of the receipt of flowers sent to the funeral of Sir Knight E. O. Blanchard.

A letter from Sir Knight Edward C Neal of Rochester N. H. saying that he was very much pleased to know that Boston Commandery was to have the Order of De Molay as their guests at their October meeting. Assuring the Commandery that having had the pleasure of seeing the work of that Order Exemplified by the young men in his City, and undoubtedly with the advantages that Boston could have over smaller Cities, there would be additions to the work which would be enjoyed by all Sir Knights present.

Ill Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple, and opened on the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and Sir Knight Frank O Clark, Generalissimo, conferred the degrees upon the following Companions

Comp. Harry Austin Campbell
 Comp. Hugh Richmond Ferguson
 Comp. Raymond Lang
 Comp. Leonard Cliff Webb
 Comp. Arthur Stewart Cameron
 Comp. Walter Earl Duncan
 Comp. Payson Clarke Francis
 Comp. Vincent Joseph Pollina
 Comp. Ernest Jesseman Smith
 Comp. Chester Francis Soule
 Comp. Herbert Emil Heidrich

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having been closed a priory was opened for the conferring of the Order of Malta, upon the above named Companions. This degree was conferred by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

The Priory having been closed, the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Visitors

The following Past Commanders were present.

Em Sir Frederick T Comee
 Em Sir Eugene A Holton
 Em Sir Joseph H Hodgkins Past Commander of St Bernard Commandery was present at this Conclave.

The Commander announced that in accordance with the notice Boston Chapter Order of DeMolay for boys would be the guests of the Commandery at dinner, and the lines were formed, the officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed at 6:15 o'clock P. M.

A. true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Worn
Recorder

Order of the DeMolay for Boys

After a concert given by the Boston Commandery Band and the DeMolay for Boys Band, the Sir Knights and guests returned to the Hall and the Officers of the Order of DeMolay gave an exhibition of the work of that Order, which was duly appreciated and enjoyed by every member present.

The Commander, after thanking the officers and members of the Order for their very remarkable entertainment, presented said officers with a souvenir of appreciation.

Demit October 9, 1924

Sir Knight George Alton Schaefer being square on the Books was granted a demit from Boston Commandery.

Release of Jurisdiction

Quincy Commandery No 47 refused release of jurisdiction over Comp. Leonard Knight Thomas.

The Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, November 19, 1924.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 5 O'clock P. M. with the full line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Edgar William Allen
Comp. George Albert French
Comp. Elmer Arthur Somerville
Comp. Nathaniel Treat Worthen

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Harry Wesley Curtis
Residence 9 Cleveland st Arlington
Occupation Advertsing and Publicity
Place of business 80 Boylston st Boston
Member of Soley Lodge Somerville & Menotomy R A Chaprer Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur W Russell & Frank C Swan

Comp. James Frank Munroe
Residence 40 Hancock st Boston
Occupation Custodian
Place of business Old State House Boston
Member of Belmont Lodge Belmont & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommneded by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Josiah T Dyer.

Comp. Frederick Gordon Smith
Residence 10 Beechwood st E Braintree
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 1259 Hyde Park Ave Hyde Park Mass
Member of Columbian Lodge Boston & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knight Frederick H Smith & Rt Em James S Blake

Deaths

The Commander announced that since our last Conclave there had been a larger number of deaths than usual namely:-

Sir Knight Chas A Koerber	Knighted	June 18, 1924	Died	Oct 22	24 ✓
Sir Knight Sidney M Hedges	"	Jan 18 1882	"	"	✓
Sir " Thomas N Cook	"	Dec 15 1909	"	"	✓
Sir " Francis E Page	"	Feb 17 1886	"	Oct 24	" ✓
Sir " George F Parker	"	Dec 20 1882	"	Oct 26	" ✓
Sir " Charles A Coe	"	Sept 21 1910	"	Oct 31	" ✓
Sir " Edward T Pollo	"	Mar 18 1891	"	Nov 10	" ✓
Sir " Charles H Danforth	"	Jan 17 1872	"	Nov 11	" ✓

Letters

The following letters were read on account of flowers forwarded by the Commandery.

Mrs. C. A. Koerber
 Mrs. Gertrude B Barr
 Mrs. Darlene Coe Hayden
 Mrs Thomas N Cook
 Mr Harry D Delano
 Mr. Philip S Page
 Sir Knight Ernest K Shaw

Ladies Night

It was unanimously voted to have a Ladies Night and New Years Party on December 31, 1924, and that the Council had full powers to make arrangements for the same.

Dinner.

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was to be served in the Banquet Hall and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines, and marched to the Hall.

Order of the Temple

The following Companions were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them.

Comp. Arthur Stewart Cameron
 Comp. Harry Austin Campbell
 Comp. Walter Earl Duncan
 Comp. Hugh Richmond Ferguson
 Comp. Payson Clark Francis
 Comp. Herbert Emil Heldrich
 Comp. Raymond Lang
 Comp. Vincent Joseph Pollina
 Comp. Ernest Jesseman Smith
 Comp. Chester Francis Soule
 Comp. Leonard Cliff Webb

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple and the balance of the Companions received the Order.

Letter from the Grand Commander

In accordance with the request of the Rt Em. Grand Commander, Charles R. Hunt, under date of October 27th the Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion Ralph T Orvis, he having received the Order of the Red Cross and Malta in Manilla Commandery #1, Manilla P. I. The Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island and the Commander of Manilla Commandery # 1 of Manilla, P. I. were notified of the above.

Visitors

The Commandery had the pleasure of a visit from Sir Knight Eugene C. Cluster of Washington Commandery # 1 Walla Walla Washington.

The following Eminent Sir Knights assisted in conferring the Order of the Temple on the above named candidates.

Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs, Grand Standard Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island,

Em Sir Frank S. Elliott Past Commander of Bethel Commandery of Gloucester, Mass.,

Em Sir Henry S Wolkins of Joseph Warren Commandery

Em Sir Lawrence S Bearse of St Omar Commandery

Letters

To the Officers and Members of Boston Commandery, # 2. Knights Templars;

Dear Sir Knights:-

The welfare of Boston Commandery was always dear to the heart of its Past Commander Samuel Crocker Lawrence.

His affectionate regard for the Commandery he manifested by acts of kindness and generosity in life, and at his death; therefore it seems appropriate that the Commandery should have as a souvenir in its Armory the bronze Knight Templar Vase specially made and presented to him by the Officers and Members of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island in token of appreciation of his services as their Grand Commander in making a notable success of the Triennial Conclave and Parade, held in Boston in 1895. In this parade Boston Commandery took a conspicuous and highly creditable part.

We, the surviving members of his family, therefore, tender to Boston Commandery for its acceptance this bronze memento.

With best wishes for your continues success and prosperity, we remain,

Respectfully yours

William B. Lawrence
Louise Lawrence Batchelder

Medford, Mass.,
November 15, 1924.

Nov. 25, 1924

Mr. William B. Lawrence,
Boston, Mass.,
Dear Sir:-

The very thoughtful letter of yourself and Mrs. Batchelder presenting the beautiful bronze vase formerly belonging to your father, General Samuel C. Lawrence, was read at the last Conclave of Boston Commandery, and I can assure you that it was very much appreciated.

By a unanimous vote of the Commandery the Recorder was instructed to express to you their hearty thanks for the beautiful remembrance of one who was so highly thought of by every member of the Commandery.

It will be placed in the parlor where every Sir Knight can examine it, and bring back to their memory the wonderful good deeds of kindness which was meted out by one who always had Boston Commandery's interest utmost in his thoughts.

I was also instructed to convey to you and Mrs. Batchelder the sincere thanks for naming Boston Commandery as custodian for the safe keeping of the vase that the General was so fond of.

Please accept my personal thanks for your favorable disposition of such an addition to our collection.

Courteously yours,

Joseph W Work

Recorder

There being no further business the Commandery was closed
in short Form at 11 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W Work
Recorder

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS, AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND

ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF ASA C. JEWETT
GRAND COMMANDER
101 UNION STREET, NEWTON CENTER, MASS.

GENERAL ORDER No. 1. Series 1924-25.

OFFICE OF THE R. E. GRAND COMMANDER,
NEWTON CENTER, MASS., December 1, 1924.

To all Knights Templar within the Jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery:

The following sentiment has been prepared for the coming Christmas observance:

To Sir Leonidas Perry Newby, Most Eminent Grand Master:

On the occasion of this Christmas ceremonial, the last to be observed before the close of your official term as Grand Master, now nearing its end, the Hosts of Knights Templar of the United States of America are assembled throughout the Grand Jurisdiction to extend to you their grateful approval for valiant service rendered and their good wishes for the future.

The call of the day is to service — service to country, service to others, service to that cause in which one is specially charged with responsibility.

During your term as Grand Master you have given without stint of your time, your talent and your strength to the service of Knight Templarism, and the worth thereof is attested by the accomplishments which mark this triennial period.

Peace and harmony have prevailed in the ranks, and the spirit of Templar courtesy and patriotism has shown manifest enlargement, for which every true Knight is genuinely thankful.

Our membership has materially increased.

The ceremonial work, the asylum tactics, and the equipment of individual Sir Knights have all shown very decided improvement.

The Educational Movement of the Grand Encampment has been put into action, the results whereof promise to be far-reaching and vital.

And the great principle of our profession — unselfish service to the needy, the afflicted, the oppressed and the sorrowing — has received new impulse, and is being more broadly demonstrated than ever before in "deeds of charity and pure beneficence."

These attainments proclaim the success of your administration as Grand Master, and your Fraters of the Templar Knighthood extend their congratulations and express their sincere appreciation of the leadership and devotion which have realized these achievements; at the same time uniting in a fervent prayer that He who rules the destinies of nations and of men may grant to you, and to those near and dear to you, many years of health and strength, and an abundant measure of happiness.

The Grand Master sends the following response:

Dear Fraters:

The sentiments of good will and commendation expressed in your Christmas greeting move me profoundly, and gratefully do I acknowledge the courtesy and cordial message of approbation, encouragement and good cheer which comes to me on this gladsome Christmas Day as the perfume from a fragrant flower, growing out of the best there is in American citizenship.

The labor of an enthusiast in any cause is sweet, whether it be of the head, the heart, or the hand, but it is far sweeter to be assured that one's efforts have been appreciated and that his labors have met with approval.

It is a rare privilege and honor to be given the leadership of the Templar hosts — the purest and truest and noblest body of men on earth. If my administration has been attended by some degree of success, I rejoice. However, I fully realize that if the membership has been increased, the life enriched, the work broadened, the zeal intensified and the ideals exalted, it is due to the earnestness and loyal devotion of every Frater, and above all, for the reason our cause has received the Divine approval. God giveth the harvest. I view the progress of Templarism as one who from a vantage ground beholds Nature awakened to life and duty by the sunshine and showers of spring. Through our order of Christian Knighthood the Divine Being has been realizing His higher and holier purposes in the transformation of life.

We are enlisted in a spiritual and idealistic chivalry. Our aim is to make potent in the individual and communal life all the uplifting feelings and virtues that are or may be known to our civilization. This is a tremendous task. It can be accomplished only through thorough consecration and complete reliance upon Him through whom comes our strength.

The day which emphasizes Heaven's choicest gift to the children of men is approaching. The world will be animated with the spirit of joy and benevolence. May it be a season of refreshing and inspiration to all Knights Templar.

The fact that peace and harmony prevails throughout the world, that a spirit of courtesy and patriotic impulse is everywhere manifest, is proof of another fact that our Order is meeting the requirements of time. The field of Templar endeavor has been enlarged and the Order of the Temple in America is no longer living in the glory of the past, but is aroused to action by the call of the hour. It has redoubled its efforts in the care of orphans and in the education and training of young men and women, thereby placing humanity of the future upon a higher plane and pointing the way to better things and to a clearer conception of the Divine teachings of love and of the spirit of charity as taught upon Judea's Plains nearly two thousand years ago.

The Grand Master wills that the various Commanderies gather in their respective asylums on Christmas Day. In reverence and devotion may every heart be responsible to Divine influence.

"Freely ye have received, freely give," should be the dominant precept. May every Sir Knight highly resolve to walk uprightly, to think pure thoughts and know only the truth; to help the needy, the distressed, and do good to all men; to cherish the reputation of a brother as he would his own, and maintain justice and guard all human rights and liberties; to be diligent in every good word and work, that the Kingdom of Heaven may be established on earth. This is our aspiration. This is the flower of our Knighthood.

Courteously submitted,

LEONIDAS P. NEWBY,

Grand Master.

To Grand Commanders, and

Commanders of Subordinate Commanderies under the immediate jurisdiction of the Grand Encampment:

The foregoing toast to the Most Eminent Grand Master and his response thereto are transmitted to you with request that you extend an invitation, through the proper officers, to all Sir Knights within your jurisdiction to join in the sentiments expressed, on Thursday, December 25, 1924, at some convenient hour, preferably at noon, Eastern Standard Time (equivalent to 5 P.M. Greenwich).

Courteously and fraternally yours,

SAM P. COCHRAN, P. G. C.,

Committee on Christmas Observance.

Address of the Grand Master:

LEONIDAS P. NEWBY, Knightstown, Indiana.

It will be gratifying to the Grand Commander to have the Sir Knights of this jurisdiction, assembled in their asylums, their homes, or wherever they may be, join in the sentiment prepared by the committee, and in wishing the Grand Master a joyous and happy Christmas as a mark of their respect and love for the Grand Master.

This order will be borne upon the notice of the stated conclave next preceding December 25, A.D. 1924, A.O. 806, and be read at the head of each Commandery at said stated conclave.

Witness my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this first day of December, A.D. 1924, A.O. 806.

ASA C. JEWETT,
Grand Commander.



ATTEST:

Sam P. Cochran
Grand Recorder.

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS,

AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND

ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF THE GRAND RECORDER, MASONIC TEMPLE, ROOM 206,
BOSTON, MASS., November 1, 1924.

OFFICIAL CIRCULAR, No. 1
SERIES OF 1924-1925.

The following-named officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island were duly elected and installed to serve the ensuing Templar year at the One Hundred and Nineteenth Annual Conclave, held in the city of Boston, Mass., October 30, A.D. 1924, A.O. 806.

ASA C. JEWETT	Grand Commander
CLARENCE M. DUNBAR	Deputy Grand Commander
JAMES A. GUNN	Grand Generalissimo
NORRIS G. ABBOTT	Grand Captain General
CLARENCE E. BURLEIGH	Grand Senior Warden
CHARLES F. WHITE	Grand Junior Warden
Rev. R. PERRY BUSH	Grand Prelate
Rev. FRANCIS W. GIBBS	Grand Prelate
FRANK L. NAGLE	Grand Treasurer
BENJAMIN W. ROWELL	Grand Recorder
FREDERICK H. BRIGGS	Grand Standard Bearer
CHARLES A. HARRINGTON	Grand Sword Bearer
CHARLES W. HENDERSON, Jr.	Grand Warden
BENJAMIN F. DOWNING, 3d	Grand Captain of the Guards
CHARLES M. PEAR	Grand Sentinel

Division Commanders

E.: Sir GEORGE L. DODD
E.: Sir CHARLES E. MARSHALL
E.: Sir RICHARD C. DeNORMANDIE
E.: Sir FRANK W. DOBSON

Inspector Instructor

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA

Deputy Inspector Instructor

E.: Sir ADELBERT E. PLACE

COMMITTEES:

Fraternal Correspondence

E.: Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL

Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws

R.: E.: Sir DANA J. FLANDERS
R.: E.: Sir J. ALBERT BLAKE
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON

Committee on Finance

E.: Sir FREDERICK T. COMEE
E.: Sir CHARLES J. CORWIN
E.: Sir FRANK B. LAWLER

Committee on Charters, Dispensations, and Jurisdictional Lines

R.:E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
R.:E.: Sir WILLIAM W. JOHNSON
R.:E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir EDSON K. HUMPHREY
E.: Sir FRANK B. KENNEY

Committee on By-laws

R.:E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir ALMON B. CILLEY
E.: Sir RAYMOND E. BOLLES

Committee on Necrology

E.: Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH
E.: Sir ALBERT L. ANTHONY
E.: Sir ALVIN F. PEASE

Committee on Credentials

E.: Sir DANIEL C. HUNT
E.: Sir WILLIAM E. M. LITTLE
E.: Sir AMBROSE B. WHITE

Committee on Educational Fund of the Grand Encampment

V.: E.: Sir CLARENCE M. DUNBAR (during his term as Deputy Commander)
E.: Sir FREDERICK H. BRIGGS (1925)
E.: Sir THEODORE R. LOCKWOOD (1926)
E.: Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT (1926)
E.: Sir ARTHUR S. VAUGHN (1927)
E.: Sir and Rev. FRANCIS W. GIBBS (1927)
E.: Sir ETHELBERT V. GRABILL (1927)
Sir Knight HENRY H. HARRIS (1925)

Committee on Publication of History of Grand Commandery

R.:E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
R.:E.: Sir CHARLES R. HUNT
E.: Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH

Committee to Consider Changes in Constitution in Regard to Annual and Semi-annual Conclaves

R.:E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA, *Chairman*
R.:E.: Sir HARRY G. POLLARD
R.:E.: Sir HENRY C. DEXTER
R.:E.: Sir WALTER W. BURNHAM
R.:E.: Sir FRANK L. NAGLE

WORK OF THE YEAR

	GAINS
Knighted	1,233
Affiliated	24
Restored	18
Total Gains	1,275

	LOSSES
Demitted	194
Suspended	86
Expelled	3
Died	437
Total Losses	720

Making a net gain for the year of 555.

Total membership, September 30, 1924, 26,375.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of this Grand Commandery the day and year above written.

The Semi-annual Conclave will be held in the city of Providence, R. I., in May, 1925, A.O. 807.



Wm Powell

Grand Recorder.

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS,

AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND

ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF ASA G. JEWETT
GRAND COMMANDER
101 UNION STREET, NEWTON CENTER, MASS.

GENERAL ORDER No. 2. Series 1924-25.

OFFICE OF THE R.:E.: GRAND COMMANDER,
101 UNION STREET, NEWTON CENTER, MASS.

To all Knights Templar within the Jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery:

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Grand Officers attending the various functions, official or social, of the Grand Commandery, or subordinate Commanderies, shall appear in full Templar regalia unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander.
2. The inspection suite should consist of the following: Officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Past Grand Commanders, Commanders of Commanderies in this jurisdiction, Generalissimos and Captain-Generals; and Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions who may be in attendance and in regalia. All officers shall be in full Templar uniform.
3. Necessary traveling expenses of officers incurred while attending Inspections or performing such other duties as may be assigned to them by the Grand Commander shall be allowed.
4. Each officer shall render to the Grand Commander in duplicate his individual expense on official blank forms.
5. The Inspecting Officer will render the amount for himself, Grand Warder, and all Past Grand Commanders who may accompany him.
6. Division Commanders shall have general supervision over the Commanderies in their charge, and shall report conditions, etc., at frequent intervals to the Grand Commander.
7. In perfecting the Ritualistic and Tactical work of the Commandery, General Officers will follow the instructions issued by the Inspector Instructor or his Deputy.
8. Several group rehearsals will be held previous to the Inspections; after which any Commandery feeling that they need special instructions will communicate with the Grand Commander.
9. Candidates shall possess full regalia, including coat, before being knighted. No more than ten candidates shall have the Order of the Temple conferred on them at any one conclave. This order is made for the reason that every candidate is entitled to the full form work. In special circumstances the Grand Commander may grant an emergency dispensation.
It is suggested that instead of rehearsals a special conclave be called, and the work done at this special conclave.
10. Statutes of the Grand Encampment, Section 160, says: "The original or a working copy of the dispensation or charter of a Commandery must be present at the opening and throughout every conclave."
11. Commanders are requested to cause their Commanderies to be opened in full form at each regular conclave.
12. Commanders will cause to be sent to the Grand Commander, Deputy Grand Commander, Inspector Instructor, Deputy Inspector Instructor, and Grand Recorder all notices of all conclaves in their respective divisions.
13. Commanders and other elective officers of every Commandery are hereby reminded that it is an important and essential part of their official duty to thoroughly acquaint themselves with the Constitution, Statutes, and Rituals of the Grand Encampment, the Constitution, Laws, and Regulations of this Grand Jurisdiction, and the By-laws of their own Commandery. Inspecting Officers will strongly emphasize this duty and report any and every violation of Templar Law observed by them.
14. Commanders are requested to refer all requests of a minor nature requiring decisions to their Division Commander; he in turn, if necessary, will take the same up with the Grand Commander. As a Division

Commander is in closer touch with the workings of the different Commanderies in his division he is better able to judge of the necessities of some of the requests than the Grand Commander would be, particularly where they do not conflict with the Constitution and General Regulations; but the Division Commander shall make no original or first decision on any point.

15. Commanders are directed to cause to be sent to this office immediate information of the death of any Past Commander or Officer of their respective Commanderies, together with such a sketch of his Masonic History as can be obtained.

16. The Inspector Instructor, his Deputy, or whoever makes the mark, will give the mark to the Inspecting Officer, who will announce to the Commandery the mark made.

17. The Inspecting Officers are requested to use every effort to bring before the Sir Knights of the various Commanderies the facts in regard to the Educational Fund of the Grand Encampment.

18. Every Tactical Formation for every parade occasion shall be in strict accordance with the official tactics and formations of this Grand Commandery and under the direct instruction of the Inspector Instructor or the Deputy Inspector Instructor unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander.

19. All Grand Commandery Officers and Past Grand Commanders are entitled, and are hereby cordially and courteously invited, to attend any and all Inspections.

20. A Special Conclave of this Grand Commandery will be held in Worcester, June 24, 1925, for the purpose of celebrating the One Hundredth Anniversary of Worcester County Commandery, No. 5. All subordinate Commanderies are hereby invited to attend in as full formation as possible. Details will be furnished later. Kindly reserve this date. Order No. 20 will be printed in full in the notice of the Stated Conclave of each Commandery next after receipt of this order.

21. This General Order shall be read in full at the head of the lines at the conclave next following its receipt, and its receipt shall be duly acknowledged to the Grand Commander.

Notice "read at the head of the lines" means that the Commandery shall be drawn up in full form as at the order "form the lines." After the divisions report, the Commandery will be called to attention and the Recorder will read the General Order in full.

Witness my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this fifteenth day of November, A.D. 1924, A.O. 806.

ASA C. JEWETT,
Grand Commander.



ATTEST:

Wm. Powell
Grand Recorder.

APPOINTMENTS

Grand Prelate E.: Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH
Grand Prelate E.: Sir and Rev. FRANCIS W. GIBBS
Grand Standard Bearer E.: Sir FREDERICK H. BRIGGS
Grand Sword Bearer E.: Sir CHARLES A. HARRINGTON
Grand Captain of the Guards E.: Sir BENJAMIN F. DOWNING, 3d
Grand Warder E.: Sir CHARLES W. HENDERSON, Jr.
Grand Sentinel E.: Sir CHARLES M. PEAR

Division Commanders

E.: Sir GEORGE L. DODD
E.: Sir CHARLES E. MARSHALL
E.: Sir RICHARD C. DeNORMANDIE
E.: Sir FRANK W. DOBSON

Inspector Instructor

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA

Deputy Inspector Instructor
E.: Sir ADELBERT E. PLACE

COMMITTEES:

Committee on Fraternal Correspondence
E.: Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL

Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws
R.: E.: Sir DANA J. FLANDERS
R.: E.: Sir J. ALBERT BLAKE
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON

Committee on Finance
E.: Sir FREDERICK T. COMEE
E.: Sir CHARLES J. CORWIN
E.: Sir FRANK B. LAWLER

Committee on Charters and Dispensations and Jurisdictional Lines
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM W. JOHNSON
R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir EDSON K. HUMPHREY
E.: Sir FRANK B. KENNEY

Committee on By-laws
R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir ALMON B. CILLEY
E.: Sir RAYMOND E. BOLLES

Committee on Necrology
E.: Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH
E.: Sir ALBERT L. ANTHONY
E.: Sir ALVIN F. PEASE

Committee on Credentials
E.: Sir DANIEL C. HUNT
E.: Sir WILLIAM E. M. LITTLE
E.: Sir AMBROSE B. WHITE

Committee on Educational Fund of Grand Encampment
V.: E.: CLARENCE M. DUNBAR (during his term as Deputy Commander)
E.: Sir FREDERICK H. BRIGGS, 1925
E.: Sir THEODORE R. LOCKWOOD, 1926
E.: Sir ARTHUR VAUGHN, 1927
E.: Sir and Rev. FRANCIS W. GIBBS, 1927
E.: Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT, 1926
Sir Knight HENRY H. HARRIS (93 Eleventh Street, Lowell), 1925
E.: Sir ETHELBERT V. GRABILL, 1927

Committee on Publication of History of Grand Commandery
R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
R.: E.: Sir CHARLES R. HUNT
E.: Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH

Committee to Consider Changes of Constitution in Regard to Annual and Semi-Annual Conclaves
R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA, Chairman
R.: E.: Sir HARRY G. POLLARD
R.: E.: Sir HENRY C. DEXTER
R.: E.: Sir WALTER W. BURNHAM
R.: E.: Sir FRANK L. NAGLE

Committee on Educational Fund of Grand Encampment to be those who will attend Triennial. These two Committees to report one month before Semi-Annual Conclave.

The Deputy Grand Commander, V.: E.: Sir Clarence M. Dunbar, 85 Sprague St., Providence, R. I., will inspect Gethsemane, No. 35, Pilgrim, No. 9, St. Paul, No. 40.

The Grand Generalissimo, E.: Sir James A. Gunn, Jr., Turners Falls, Mass., will inspect Calvary, No. 13, Newburyport, No. 3, Joseph Warren, No. 26.

The Grand Captain General, E.: Sir Norris G. Abbott, 107 Providence St., Providence, R. I., will inspect Sir Galahad, No. 52, Temple, No. 48, Woonsocket, No. 24.

First Division: E.: Sir CLARENCE E. BURLEIGH
Second Division: E.: Sir CHARLES F. WHITE
Third Division: E.: Sir FREDERICK H. BRIGGS
Fourth Division: E.: Sir CHARLES A. HARRINGTON
Fifth Division: E.: Sir BENJAMIN F. DOWNING, 3d
Sixth Division: E.: Sir GEORGE L. DODD
Seventh Division: E.: Sir CHARLES E. MARSHALL
Eighth Division: E.: Sir RICHARD C. DeNORMANDIE
Ninth Division: E.: Sir FRANK W. DOBSON

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS, AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND

ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF ASA C. JEWETT
GRAND COMMANDER

GENERAL ORDER No. 3. Series 1924-25.

OFFICE OF THE R.:E.: GRAND COMMANDER,
101 UNION STREET, NEWTON CENTRE, MASS.
December 20, 1924.

To all Knights Templar within the Jurisdiction of the Grand Commandery:

1. Past Commanders, Generalissimos and Captain Generals when in full Templar Uniform, and when in attendance at Inspections will enter the Asylum on the suite of the Inspecting Officer.
2. No candidate is to be knighted except in his own Uniform. (This means full regalia including coat.)
3. Every candidate for the Orders shall be instructed before receiving the Temple Degree in how to wear the uniform, how to draw his sword, the proper way to salute, and in the facings. This shall be done by an Officer or Sir Knight detailed for that duty by the Eminent Commander.
4. The following committee has been appointed to arrange details for the Special Conclave of this Grand Commandery at Worcester, June 24, 1925, to take part in the Observance of the One Hundredth Anniversary of Worcester County Commandery:

R.:E.: FREDERICK I. DANA, *Chairman.*
V.:E.: CLARENCE M. DUNBAR.
E.: Sir JAMES A. GUNN, Jr.
E.: Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT.
E.: Sir CLARENCE E. BURLEIGH.

5. The following committee on Tactics is appointed:

R.:E.: FREDERICK I. DANA, *Chairman.*
E.: Sir GEORGE L. DODD.
Sir Knight WALTER I. WOODMAN.

This order shall be read at the head of each Commandery at the next Stated Conclave after its receipt.

Witness my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this twentieth day of December, A.D. 1924, A.O. 806.

ASA C. JEWETT,
Grand Commander.



ATTEST:

Edm. Powell
Grand Recorder.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, December 17, 1924

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders In Boston Commandery.

Comp. Harry Wesley Curtis
Comp. James Francis Munroe
Comp. Frederick Gordon Smith

Petitions

Comp. Charles Albert Beals
Residence 1619 Mass Ave Cambridge
Occupation Lumber
Place of business 140 Carter st Chelsea
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur W Godfrey & Frank O Clark

Comp. George Delaware Bourcy
Residence 1 Kensington Rd Arlington
Occupation Secretary
Place of business 44 State st Boston
Member of Hiram Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington
Recommended by Sir Knights Alton A Linnell & Henry S Cushing

Comp. James Watt Eadie Jr
Residence 34 Gorham Ave Brookline
Occupation Public accountant
Place of business 141 Milk st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Paul R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Colin Ezra Ham
Residence 64 Charlesgate East Boston
Occupation Book dealer
Place of business 88 Broad st Boston
Member of adelphi Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Hermann Hagen Howard
Residence 65 Oak Ave Belmont
Occupation Office assistant
Place of business 7 Park Sq Boston
Member of Charity Lodge and Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knights Bernard F Macy & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. George Leslie Maynard
Residence 113 Highland Ave Somerville
Occupation Candy Maker
Place of business 19 Skilton Ave Somerville
Member of King Solomon Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knight Percy A Brigham & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Josiah Barrows Thomas
Residence 116 Riverway Boston
Occupation Leather merchant
Place of business 118 South st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradbury & Harold W Martin

For Membership

Sir Knight Arthur Lincoln England
Residence 96 Orchard st Somerville
Occupation retired
Place of business 96 Orchard st
Member of Prevost Lodge & Prevost R A Chapter of Dunham Quebec and
dimitted from Boston Commandery K T Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights James R Ruiter and Charles L Hamilton

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Albert B Freeman	Knighted Feb 19, 1913	Died 11/19/24
Sir Knight George M Weston	" July 19 1895	" 11/25/24
Sir Knight William Eadie	" Dec 15 1897	" 12/2/1924
Sir Knight Charles A Hearsey	" Nov 15 1899	" 11/7/1924

Letters

The following letters were received from Mrs Etta L Freeman,
Henry E. Alsterlund and Mrs. Ernest K Shaw acknowledging receipt of
flowers; also announcing the illness of Sir Knight E. K. Shaw.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council
of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened. The following
Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by the General-
issimo, Sir Knight Frank O Clark.

Comp. Edgar William Allen
 Comp. George Warren Austin
 Comp. Everett Eugene Black
 Comp. George Albert French
 Comp. John Willis Jackson
 Comp. Henry Haerberle
 Comp. Elmer Arthur Somerville
 Comp. Nathaniel Treat Worthen
 Comp. Harry Wesley Curtis
 Comp. James Frank Munroe *Francis*
 Comp. Frederick Gordon Smith

The Commander announced that a dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall and after dinner were treated with an entertainment.

Order of the Temple

The business of the Commandery was resumed at 8:45 P M.

Reading of the Orders No. 2 and 3 from the
Grand Commander.

The lines having been drawn up, the Commander read the Orders of No. 2 and 3, the same are now attached with the records.

The Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and opened as Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and the balance of the candidates were received by the Generalissimo, Sir Knight Frank O. Clark.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been closed, a priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named candidates were received, and the Orders were conferred upon them by Captain General Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

Order of the Temple

A Priory of the Order of Malta having finished its business was closed and the Order of the Temple was opened.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
 Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 21, 1925.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in full form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Albert Beals
Comp. George Delaware Bourcey
Comp. James Watt Eadie Jr
Comp. Colin Ezra Ham
Comp. Hermann Hagen Howard
Comp. George Leslie Maynard
Comp. Josiah Barrows Thomas

For Membership

The Committee on membership for Sir Knight Arthur Lincoln England did not report.

Petitions

Comp. Oscar Bernhardt Bensen
Residence 110 Appleton st Arlington Hts
Occupation Supt Battery Division
Place of business 39 Boylston st Boston
Member of Palestine Lodge & Bethesda R A Chapter Everett
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles S Hadaway & Elmer G Page

Comp. Thomas Colby Brooks
Residence 101 West Dedham st Boston
Occupation Sheet metal Contractor
Place of business 101 West Dedham st Boston
Member of St John Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights George L Rehm & David M Mosher

Comp. James Brown
Residence 31 Alleyne st W Roxbury

Occupation carpenter
 Place of business 36 Cornhill New Building Boston
 Member of Eliot Lodge Jamaica Plain & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights George L Rehm & David M Mosher

Comp. James Joseph Curry
 Residence 216 Clark Rd Brookline
 Occupation Vice Pres Giner Co Boston
 Place of business 9 Hamilton Place Boston
 Member of Hammett Lodge & St Johns R A Chapter E Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Henry W Wright & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. William Freeman Damon
 Residence 56 Quincy st Medford Hillside
 Occupation Asst Sales Mgr
 Place of business 86 Joy st Somerville
 Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
 Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & Francis W Breed Jr

Comp. Bernard Edwin Greenewold
 Residence 528 Beacon st Boston
 Occupation Student
 Place of business Mass Institute Technology
 Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Sidney H Baylor & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

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 Comp. William Othon Lima
 Residence 21 Coolidge st Brookline
 Occupation Pres Lima Fisk Inc
 Place of business 230 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Achuff & William P Bullard

Comp. Arthur B McConnell
 Residence 73 Mapleton st Brighton
 Occupation Police Capt Station 1
 Place of business 209 Hanoverst Sta 1 Boston
 Member of Bethesda Lodge Brighton & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Warren & John M Anderson

Comp. Clarence Maxwell Mixer
 Residence 30 Scotland Rd Reading
 Occupation Ford Auto dealer
 Place of business 363 Highland Ave Somerville
 Member of King Solomon's Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Earl H Dudley & Frank L Morse

Comp. John Kirk Semple Mills
 Residence 3 Vincent Ave Belmont
 Occupation Watchmaker
 Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge Boston & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
 Recommended by Sir Knight Elmer C Read & Rt Em Sir James S Blake

Comp. John Russell Palmer
 Residence 79 Pleasant st Revere
 Occupation Inspector Gen Electric Co

Place of business Lynn
Member of Rockton Lodge # 316 Kent, Ohio, and Tyrian R A Chapter # 91
Havenna, Ohio
Recommended by Sir Knight Albra W Kincaid & Em George T Wiley

Comp. Myron Winthrop Sparks
Residence 118 Riverway Boston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business Autocar sales & service Co 642 Beacon st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradley & William M Call

Comp. Henry Alan Steeves
Residence 366 Payson Rd Belmont
Occupation Ford Auto Car Dealer
Place of business 363 Highland Ave Somerville
Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Earle H Dudley & Frank L Morse

Comp. John Kirk Semple
Residence 3 Vincent Ave Belmont
Occupation Watchmaker
Place of business 387 Washington st Boston
Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge Boston & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knight Elmer C Reed & E Em Sir James S Blake

Comp. Albert Paine Smith
Residence 1179 Boylston st Boston Apt 33
Occupation Salesman
Place of business Smith Bros F H Market Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradbury & R W Blodgett

Comp. Charles Stanley Tupper
Residence 25 Conwell Ave Somerville
Occupation Accountant
Place of business N E Bakery Co 86 Joy st Somerville
Member of Ancient St Johns Lodge #3 Kingston, Canada, & Mt Vernon
R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & Francis W Breed Jr

For Membership

Sir Knight Arthur Lincoln England
Residence 96 Orchard st Somerville
Occupation Retired
Place of business 96 Orchard st Somerville
Member of Prevost Lodge & Prevost R A Chapter of Dunham, Quebec, and
demitted from Boston Commandery K T Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight James R Ruiter & Charles L Hamilton

Letters

Letters were received from the following persons.

Mr & Mrs Louis F Miller and family

Mr. William H. Doorley notifying us of the pleasure that it gave to Sir Knight William B Whitcomb upon receipt of flowers, he being 92 years old was reported to be in fairly good health.

Clifton H Eadie acknowledging flowers sent to the funeral services of Sir Knight William Eadie.

The Commander read a letter from Sir Knight Harry Miller thanking him for words of sympathy and flowers sent to him.

Reception of guests

The Commander requested Eminent Sir Frank O Clark, Generalissimo, to repair to the ante room with proper escort as a Committee and to present Em Sir Clarence E Burleigh, Grand Senior Warden, of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island and division Commander of the first division to the Commandery. He was cordially received and greeted by the Commander and introduced to the Commandery after which he was requested to take a seat in the East which he did and later gave the same to the Commander in order to proceed with the business of the evening.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was waiting and the officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed not only the feast but an entertainment provided by the Senior Warden Sir William P. Bullard.

The Commandery resumed business at 8 o'clock P M and the following Companions were introduced and the Order of the Temple conferred upon them.

Comp. Edgar William Allen
 Comp. George Warren Austin
 Comp. Everett Eugene Black
 Comp. Harry Wesley Curtis
 Comp. George Albert French
 Comp. Henry Haerberle
 Comp. John Willis Jackson
 Comp. James Francis Munroe
 Comp. Frederick Gordon Smith
 Comp. Elmer Arthur Somerville
 Comp. Nathaniel Treat Werthen

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths reported since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Charles H Danforth	Knighted Jan 17, 1872	Died Nov 1924
Sir Knight Frank B Gilbreth	" Aug 16 1894	" June 1924
Sir Knight Erwin R Graves	" Dec 17, 1902	" Dec 22, 1924
Sir Knight Rufus Holman	" Oct 17 1877	" Dec 23 1924
Sir Knight Harry Miller	" Mar 15 1922	" Jan 14 1925

Ladies Night

The Commander made complimentary remarks in regard to the success of the Ladies Night and New Years Eve party. Especially in regard to the large number present, and also to the efficient work of our Senior Warden Sir Knight William P. Ballard.

Presentation

The Commander appointed Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs, Grand Sword Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island as a Committee to present Sir Knight Edgar F Hunt, Sword Bearer Emeritus of Boston Commandery. He was cordially received by the Commandery and with very appropriate remarks by the Commander in regard to his long service as sword bearer and the very pleasant and sincere fellowship that he always enjoyed, he at this time presented him to the Commandery as a Sir Knight who had been a member of Boston Commandery for fifty years, he having taken the Orders January 20, 1875. He also presented him with a bouquet of fifty roses.

Sir Knight Hunt responded feelingly to the Commander and thanked the Commandery for their kindness.

Work

The Commander was assisted in the Work by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs Grand Sword Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island and Em Sir Clarence E Burleigh Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 10:45 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Worn

Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday February 18, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Records

The Record of the last Conclave was read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Oscar Bernhardt Benson
Residence 119 Appleton st Arlington Hts
Occupation Supt Battery Division
Place of business 39 Boylston st Boston
Member of Palestine Lodge & Bethesda R A Chapter Everett
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles S Hadaway & Elmer G Page

Comp. James Brown
Residence 31 Alleyne st West Roxbury
Occupation Carpenter
Place of business 36 Cornhill New Building Boston
Member of Eliot Lodge Jamaica Plain & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights George L Rehm & David M Mosher

Comp. James Joseph Curry
Residence 216 Clark Rd Brookline
Occupation Vice President Ginter Co Boston
Place of business 9 Hamilton Place Boston
Member of Hammett Lodge & St Johns R A Chapter E Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry W Wright & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. William Freeman Damon
Residence 56 Quincy st Medford Hillside
Occupation Asst sales Mgr
Place of business 86 Joy st Somerville
Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & Francis W Breed Jr

Comp. Bernard Edwin Greenewald
Residence 528 Beacon st Boston

Occupation Student
Place of business Mass Institute Technology
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Sidney H Baylor & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Wilbur Othon Lima
Residence 21 Coolidge st Brookline
Occupation Pres Lime-Fisk Inc
Place of business 230 Boylston st Boston
Member of Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles E Achuff & William P Bullard

Arthur Bruce McConnell
Residence 73 Mapleton st Brighton
Occupation Police Captain Station 1
Place of business 209 Hanover st Boston
Member of Bethesda Lodge Brighton & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Warren & John M Anderson

Comp. John Kirk Semple Mills
Residence 3 Vincent Ave Belmont
Occupation Watchmaker
Place of business 373 Washington st Boston
Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge Boston & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knight Elmer C Read & R E Sir James S Blake

Comp. Myron Winthrop Sparks
Residence 118 Riverway Boston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business Autocar sales & Service Co 642 Beacon st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradley & William M Call

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Residence 3 Vincent Ave Belmont
Occupation Watchmaker
Place of business 387 Washington st Boston
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Residence 1179 Boylston st Boston Apt 33
Occupation salesman
Place of business Smith Bros F H Market Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Philip B Bradbury & R W Blodgett

Comp. Charles Stanley Tupper
Residence 25 Cornwall Ave Somerville
Occupation Accountant
Place of business N E Bakery Co 86 Joy st Somerville
Member of Ancient St John's Lodge # 3 Kingston, Canada, & Mt Vernon
R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & Francis W Breed Jr

For Membership

Sir Knight Arthur Lincoln England
 Residence 96 Orchard st Somerville
 Occupation Retired
 Place of business 96 Orchard st Somerville
 Member of Prevost Lodge & Prevost R A Chapter of Dunham, Quebec, and
 dimitted from Boston Commandery K T , Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights James R. Ruiter & Charles L Hamilton

On the application of Companion Thomas Colby Brooks, the Committee
 asked for further time.

The application of Clarence Maxwell Mixer not in form and release
 not received.

The application of Companion John Russell Palmer release not received.

The application of Henry Alan Steeves not in form.

The following applications were read.

Comp. Everett Smith Cofran
 Residence 64 Green st Jamaica Plain
 Occupation Architectural Draftsman
 Place of business 1259 Little Bldg 80 Boylston st Boston
 Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights William M Call & Harold W Martin

Comp. Herbert Barrows Fisher
 Residence 96 Grove st Brookline
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 56 Dummer st c/o Smith Patterson Co Boston
 Member of West Roxbury & Roslindale R A Chapter W Roxbury
 Recommended by Sir Knights Frank S Treco & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Rudolph Lippold
 Residence 11 Roanoke Ave Jamaica Plain
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 329 Lamartine st Jamaica Plain
 Member of Eliot Lodge Jamaica Plain & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights William J Hargraves & Hans H M Borghardt

Comp. Louis Pirovano
 Residence 13 Concord Sq Boston
 Occupation Projectionist
 Place of business 47 Tremont st Boston
 Member of Union Lodge Dorchester & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. Clarence Edward Robinson
 Residence 4 Westford st Allston
 Occupation Property Master
 Place of business Selwyn Theater Park Sq Boston
 Member of Tucker Lodge #99 Raymond N H & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. William Albert Robinson
Residence 10 Appian Way Allston
Occupation Stage Mgr
Place of business Selwyn Theater Park Sq Boston
Member of Lafayette Lodge Roxbury & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood and Josiah T Dyer

Comp. George Whitcomb Wyman
Residence 35 Dustin st Brighton
Occupation Estimator
Place of business Holtzer Cabot Electric Company Roxbury
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank H Wyman & Percy O Allen

The following letters were received from

Sir Knight Ernest K. Shaw reporting that he was improving.

Mrs. Frank Harlow, Mrs. Minnie L. Homer, Mr. Cortland G. Morse,
acknowledging flowers., togetherwith notes from Mr. Grenville Austin
and Miss Clara B. Howe on account of flowers sent.

A Communication was received from Sir Knight John H Houghton regreting
that he could not attend the meeting.

A letter from Lansing Commandery #25 of Lansing, Michigan, extending
grateful appreciation for the manner in which the officers of Boston
Commandery took care of the ceremonies at the burial of Em Sir Alfred
Bixby their first Commander, Sir Knight Bixby was buried at Forest
Hills Cemetery.

Release of Jurisdiction

Reading Commandery #50 requested a release of jurisdiction over
Companion Robert Louis Bancroft, 39 Pearl st, Medford, Mass., and the
same was unanimously granted.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

There being no further business on the Order of the Temple, the
Commander closed and opened on the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross
and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Frank O Clark, and the
following Companions were introduced. Generalissimo

Comp. George Delaware Bourcy
Comp. James Watt Eadie Jr
Comp. Colin Ezra Ham
Comp. Hermann Hagen Howard
Comp. George Leslie Maynard
Comp. Josiah Barrows Thomas
Comp. Oscar Bernhard Benson
Comp. James Brown
Comp. James Joseph Curry
Comp. William Freeman Damon
Comp. Bernard Edwin Greenewald
Comp. Wilbur Othon Lima

Comp. Arthur B. McConnell
 Comp. John Kirk Semple Mills
 Comp. Myron Winthrop Sparks *Sparks*
 Comp. John Kirk Semple
 Comp. Albert Paine Smith
 Comp. Charles Stanley Tupper

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross closed and a Priory of the Knights of Malta opened, and the above named candidates were introduced and received by Sir Knight Charles L. Hamilton, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

A Priory of the Knights of Malta having finished their Work the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 10:05 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Warr

Recorder

Deaths

Sir Knight Frank Harlow	Knighted Nov 21, 1894,	Died Jan 23, 1925.
" George E Homer	" Feb 20, 1895	" Feb 1, 1925
" Lemuel H Howe	" Dec 21, 1887	" Jan 23, 1925
" William A Morse	" June 15 1898	" Jan 26, 1925
" Arthur F Teel	" June 19 1895	" Feb 10, 1925
" William B Watts	" Feb 15 1893	" Feb 1 1925

Dimited

Being square on the books Sir Knight Charles W. Fraser was granted a dimit from Boston Commandery.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K. T.
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Monday March 16, 1925

Special Conclave

A special Conclave of Boston Commandery was opened at 5 o'clock for the purpose of conferring the work of the Order of the Temple and the following Companions were introduced.

Comp. Oscar Bernard Benson

Comp. James Brown

Comp. Colin Ezra Ham

Comp. Hermann Hagen Howard

Comp. George Leslie Maynard

Comp. Albert Paine Smith

Comp. Myron Winthrop Sparks

Comp. Josiah Barrows Thomas

The Commander announced that a lunch would be served at 6 o'clock P. M. and the Officers, Sir Knights proceed to the Banquet Hall.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple, and conferred the balance of the ceremonies of the Order of the Temple on the above named candidates.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Form at 9:10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph C. Worn

Recorder

Asylum of
Boston Commandery K T
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, March 18, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the usual line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Thomas Colby Brooks
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Comp. Herbert Barrows Fisher
Comp. Rudolph Lippold
Comp. John Russell Palmer
Comp. Louis Pirovano
Comp. Clarence Edward Robinson
Comp. William Albert Robinson
Comp. George Whitcomb Wyman

Release of Jurisdiction

A release of jurisdiction was granted by Palestine Commandery # 10 K. T. of Chelsea, Mass. over Companion John Russell Palmer of 79 Pleasant st, Revere, Mass.

St Omar Commandery

A request was received from the Commander of St Omar Commandery Em. Sir Lawrence S Bearse, to Em Sir Wiley to confer the Order of the Temple upon Companion Sydney Malcolm Doyle, he having received the Red Cross and Malta in St Omar Commandery on March 16th.

Letters

Letters were received expressing appreciation for the flowers forwarded to the funeral of Sir Knights Grenville Austin, Fred M. Kimball and Sir Knight George P. Page from the families of the above Sir Knights.

The Commander announced that Sir Knight Arthur F Weeks was at the Phillips House, Massachusetts General Hospital undergoing an operation.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests proceeded to the banquet hall and after partaking of an enjoyable feast, Sir Knight William P. Bullard furnished an entertainment for the Sir Knights and Guests.

Order of the Temple

Business on the Order of the Temple was resumed at 8:25 P. M. and the following Companions having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and the Order was conferred upon them in full form.

Comp. George Delaware Bourcy

Comp. James Joseph Curry

Comp. William Freeman Damon

Comp. James Watt Eadie Jr

Comp. Bernard Edwin Groenewold

Comp. Wilbur Hawthorne Othon Lima

Comp. John Kirk Semple Mills

Comp. John Kirk Semple

Comp. Charles Stanley Tupper

also Comp. Sydney Malcolm Doyle at the request of St Omar Commandery.

Presentation

Em. Commander George T. Wiley, requested Sir Knight A. W. Royer of Laramie Commandery # 3 of Laramie, Wyoming, to present himself in the East. Sir Knight Royer was the guest of Sir Knight Clarence J. MacKenzie. Commander Wiley presented to Sir Knight Royer a Knight Templars charm in behalf of his friends in Boston Commandery. Sir Knight Royer made a very appropriate reply not only thanking his friends, but also expressing pleasure at being at this Conclave of Boston Commandery.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths reported since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Grenville Austin

Knighted February 16, 1910 Died March 4, 1925

Sir Knight Robert Berwick

Knighted June 19th, 1891 Died February 1925

Sir Knight Fred M Kimball

Knighted December 16, 1908 Died March 10, 1925

Sir Knight George P Page

Knighted February 17, 1886 Died February 25, 1925

Past Commanders Present

Rt Em Sir James S Blake
 Em Sir Frederick T Comee
 Em Sir Eugene A Holton
 Em Sir Joseph T Paul
 Em Sir George U Bauer
 Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Guests

The following guests were present and received a number of the candidates.

Em Sir H. Corcell Staples
 Em Sir Theodore R Lockwood
 Past Commanders of DeMolay Commandery # 7

Em Sir Leon A Allen, Commander, Walter A Smith, Generalissimo, George I. Lawley, Captain General of DeMolay Commandery #7.

Em Sir George B Dexheimer, Past Commander of Quincy Commandery
 Em Sir George W Knowlton, Past Commander of Joseph Warren Commandery
 Em Sir Charles G Hull, Past Commander of St Omar Commandery
 Em Sir Lawrence S Bearse, Commander of St Omar Commandery

Closing

Having completed the conferring of the Order of the Temple on the candidates, and having no other business to come before the Commandery, it was closed at 10:40 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W Work

Recorder

The Following Petitions for the Orders were received and read.

Comp. Joseph Kinsman Dennis
 Residence 92 Corey Rd Brookline
 Occupation Wholesale Fish Commission
 Place of business 2 Central Wharf Boston
 Member of Robert Lash Lodge, Chelsea, and St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Milton E Stephenson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Percy Hilton Howe
Residence 1240 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Shorthand Reporter
Place of business 915-921 Lawyers Building Boston
Member of Barton Smith Lodge #613 & Toledo R A Chapter #161 Toledo, Ohio
Recommended by Sir Knights Hiram C Hughes & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Martin John Heiligmann Jr
Residence 173 Willow st W Roxbury
Occupation Superintendent
Place of business 74 Kneeland st & Copely Art Store 607 Botlston st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. William Martin Heiligmann
Residence 2141 Mass Ave Cambridge
Occupation Art dealer
Place of business 607 Boylston st Boston
Member of Charity Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knight Frank R Henderson & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Warren Earl Kell
Residence 315 Allston st Brighton
Occupation Salesman Quaker Oats Company
Place of business 50 Congress st Boston
Member of Washington Lodge #240 Buffalo N Y & Corinthian R A Chapter
#69 Illinois
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Sanborn & Linwood L Ramsdell

Comp. Clarence Maxwell Mixer
Residence 30 Scotland Rd Reading
Occupation Ford dealer
Place of business 363 Highland Ave Somerville
Member of King Solomons Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Earl H Dudley & Frank L Morse

Comp. Frank Ripley Nickerson
Residence 47 Liberty Ave W Somerville
Occupation Manager
Place of business 53 State st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Higgins & Louis V Joyce

Comp. Leslie Chase Small
Residence 5 Park Vale Brookline
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 24 Milk st Boston
Member of Beth horen Lodge, Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Charles H Farnham

Comp. Henry Alan Steeves
Residence 366 Payson Rd Belmont
Occupation Ford Auto dealer
Place of business 363 Highland Ave Somerville
Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Earl H Dudley & Frank L Morse

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Comp. Milton William Vedder
Residence 416 Marlboro st Boston
Occupation Pres Anderson Mfg Co Everett
Place of business Anderson Mfg Co Everett
Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Herbert F Hartwell & Winfield L Nourse

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday April 15, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with the usual line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following for the Orders having made favorable report upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Joseph Kinsman Dennis
Comp. Percy Hilton Howe
Comp. Martin John Heiligmann Jr
Comp. William Martin Heiligmann
Comp. Warren Earle Kell
Comp. Clarence Maxwell Mixer
Comp. Frank Ripley Nickerson
Comp. Leslie Chase Small
Comp. Henry Alan Steeves

Further Time

The Committee upon the application of Companion Milton William Vedder asked for further time.

Release

A release of jurisdiction over Companion Clarence Maxwell Mitchell was received from Reading Commandery #50.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight John Tripp	Knighthd 12/30/95	Died 3/12/25
Sir Knight Julius A Smith	" 1/18/82	" 3/25/25
Sir Knight Richmond G Stecker	" 12/15/09	" 4/1/25.

Letters

Letters were received thanking the Commandery for their remembrance to Companions Capt Arthur B MacConnell and Sir Knight William E Hardy.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple and opened a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the following Companions were received and the Order was conferred by Sir Knight Frank O Clark, Generalissimo.

Comp. Thomas Colby Brooks
 Comp. Everett Smith Cofran
 Comp. Herbert Barrows Fisher
 Comp. Rudolph Lippold
 Comp. John Russell Palmer
 Comp. Clarence Edward Robinson
 Comp. William Albert Robinson
 Comp. George Whitcomb Wyman
 Comp. Joseph Kinsman Dennis
 Comp. Percy Hilton Howe
 Comp. Martin John Heiligmann Jr.
 Comp. William Martin Heiligmann
 Comp. Clarence Maxwell Mixer
 Comp. Frank Ripley Nickerson
 Comp. Leslie Chace Small
 Comp. Henry Alan Steeves

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests proceeded to the Banquet Hall where they not only enjoyed the meal but an entertainment furnished by Sir Knight William P. Bullard, Senior Warden.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business at 8:15 P. M.

The Commander read Order #4 from Rt Eminent Grand Commander in regard to the Worcester celebration June 24th.

Ascension Service

Upon invitation from the Rector of the Trinity Church the Commandery was invited to attend Ascension Service on May 24th, 1925. The Commandery accepted said invitation by unanimous vote.

Children's Party

It was unanimously voted to have a Children's Party on the afternoon of May 2, 1925.

Order of Malta

The Commander closed on the Order of the Temple and opened a priory

of the Order of Malta, and the above named Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Capt. General.

Order of the Temple

The business of the Priory having been finished, the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W Work

Recorder

Petitions

The following petitions for the Orders were read.

Comp. Karl John Von Betzen
Residence 175 Somerset Ave Winthrop
Occupation Woodworking machinery
Place of business 323 Dorchester Ave South Boston
Member of Winthrop Lodge & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Em Sir Charles W Howard & Sir Knight Joseph W Work

Comp. Emil Louis Loeb
Residence 38 Quincy st Roxbury
Occupation Paint Mfg
Place of business 110 High st Boston
Member of Gate of the Temple Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Kenneth Campbell

Comp. Gurney Hugh MacDonald
Residence 41 Fells Ave Medford
Occupation Contractor
Place of business 88 Broad st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest Whitney & John A Walker Jr

Comp. Albert Henry Truesdell
Residence 340 Highland Ave W Somerville
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 4 Hamilton Place Boston
Member of Soley Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knight Kenneth Campbell & Em Sir George T Wiley

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Monday, May 18, 1925

Special Conclave

A Special Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars was opened at 5:25 P. M. with the usual line of Officers.

The opening was in Full Form and Ceremony.

Dinner 6 P. M.

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests proceeded to the Banquet Hall.

Business Order of the Temple

The business of the Commandery was continued at 7:20 o'clock P. M. and the following Companions who had previously received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta were introduced and the Order was conferred upon them, the Order of the Temple.

Comp. Thomas Colby Brooks
 Comp. Everett Smith Cofran
 Comp. Herbert Barrows Fisher
 Comp. Rudolph Lippold
 Comp. John Russell Palmer
 Comp. Clarence Edward Robinson
 Comp. William Albert Robinson
 Comp. Arthur B McConnell
 Comp. Joseph Kinsman Dennis
 Comp. Percy Hilton Howe

Comp. Martin John Heiligmann Jr
 Comp. William Martin Heiligmann
 Comp. Clarence Maxwell Mixer
 Comp. Frank Ripley Nickerson
 Comp. Leslie Chase Small
 Comp. Henry Alan Steeves

Visitors

Eminent Sir Clarence E Burleigh, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island and Eminent Sir Frederick H Briggs, Grand Sword Bearer of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island who gave their assistance to the work.

Special Occasion

Special Occasion

Companion Arthur Bruce McConnell, being entitled to the Order of the Temple having previously received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta, was complimented by having the following Sir Knights of the Police Department of the City of Boston assist in conferring the Order of the Temple upon him. Companion McConnell being Captain of Station 1 Hanover street, Boston, Mass.

Deputy Forrest F. Hall acting as Generalissimo, Captain Perley S. Skillings of Joseph Warren Commandery as Captain General, and the following Sir Knights as Guards around the Triangle.

Capt. John M. Anderson

Lieut. William W. Livingston

Lieut. Oscar H Peare

Sargent George H Mitchell

Sir Knight Calvin S Weyer of Boston Commandery and

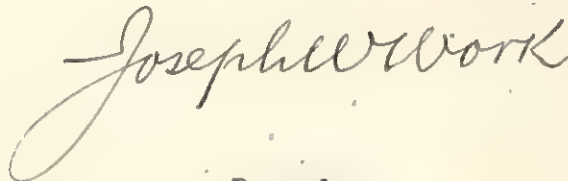
Lieut. H. P. Burns of St Omar Commandery and Sir Knight Robert S. MacLeod of Joseph Warren Commandery.

Closing

The business of the Special Conclave having been finished, the Commander ordered the Companions to proceed to the Recorder's desk to sign the By-Laws and become members of Boston Commandery, after which the Commandery was closed without Form.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston,

Wednesday May 20, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 3:30 o'clock P. M. with the full line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Gurney Hugh MacDonald
Comp. Albert Henry Truesdell
Comp. Milton William Vedder

Further Time and Release of Jurisdiction

Upon the application of Emil Louis Loeb, the candidate having been absent from the city, the Committee requested further time.

On the application of Carl John von Betzen the release of jurisdiction from Winthrop Commandery, Winthrop, Mass. was refused.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths, reported since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Fred H Carpenter
Knighted June 21, 1893 Died May 5, 1925

Sir Knight Almon L Eastman
Knighted Dec 18, 1901 Died April 16, 1925

Sir Knight Fred M Kimball
Knighted Dec 16, 1908 Died March 10, 1925

Sir Knight George F Parker
Knighted Dec 20, 1882 Died Oct 26, 1924

Sir Knight William E Hardy
Knighted June 19, 1907 Died March 18, 1925

Letters

Letters were received from the family of the Sir Knights acknowledging flowers forwarded.

Mrs. Almon L Eastman & Son

Arthur F Weeks

Marion L Decrow

Andrew S Seiler

also from William H Doorly acknowledging the receipt of check for \$50.00 for the benefit of Sir Knight William B Whitcomb, of West Medford, Mass.

St John's Day Outing

Upon motion of Sir Knight Frank O. Clark, Generalissimo, it was voted to observe St John's Day, June 26, 27, and 28th at the Cliff House, Scituate, Mass., giving the Council full powers to make arrangements.

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was conferred upon Companion George Whitcomb Wyman, he having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta at a previous Conclave.

Dinner

The Officers having conferred the Order of the Temple on the above named Companion including the Fourth Libation, the Commander announced that the Inspection Officer and his suite were in the ante room and that the officers, Sir Knights and Guests would proceed to the Banquet Hall.

Resumed business

The Commandery resumed business at 7:35 o'clock P. M.

Reception of the Grand Commander

Sir Knight Warder Elmer G Page announced that the Grand Warder Charles W Henderson Jr of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island was in waiting, and he was introduced and announced that Rt Eminent Sir Asa C Jewett, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts & Rhode Island was in waiting for the purpose of making a fraternal visit to Boston Commandery.

Em Sir George T. Wiley sent his compliments and Knightly Greetings to the Grand Commander and assured him that he would wait upon him with a Committee, which consisted of all the Past Commanders of Boston Commandery present, with Sir Knight Frank O Clark, Generalissimo, as chairman.

Em Sir Frederick T. Comee

Em Sir Eugene A Helton

Rt Em Sir James S Blake

Em Sir Jesse E Ames
 Em Sir Joseph T Paul
 Em Sir Frederick C Graves
 Em Sir George U Bauer
 Em Sir Charles W Howard
 Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

The Generalissimo introduced the Rt Em Sir Asa C Jewett to the Commander who expressed his pleasure in receiving him at this time and trusted that he would enjoy his visit in Boston Commandery with the same pleasure that the officers and Sir Knights would enjoy his presence at this Conclave.

The Grand Commander responded to his cordial reception and assured the Commander and Sir Knights that he always enjoyed his fraternal visit to Boston Commandery.

The Grand Commander then introduced Rt Eminent Sir Charles R Hunt, Rt Eminent Sir James S Blake, Rt Em Sir Fred I Dana and Em Sir Francis W Gibbs.

The Commander invited the Grand Commander to a seat in the East, which he immediately vacated,

Reception of the Inspecting Officer.

The Commander ordered the lines of the Commandery to be formed, after which Em Sir George T Everett, Past Commander of De Molay Commandery as Deputy Grand Warder announced that Em Sir Clarence E. Burleigh, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts & Rhode Island was in waiting to make an official visit to Boston Commandery .

The Commander informed the Deputy Grand Warder that he would immediately send a Committee to receive and present Em Sir Clarence E. Burleigh. An escort was formed under the chairmanship of the Generalissimo togetherwith all of the Past Commanders of Boston Commandery.

The Commandery gave the Inspecting officer and his suite a very cordial welcome, and the Generalissimo introduced Em Sir Clarence E Burleigh to the Commander who greeted him heartily and expressed his pleasure that he had been appointed to inspect Boston Commandery.

Em Sir Charles E Burleigh after thanking the Commander for his courteous introduction presented his suite of fifty-eight^{one} Sir Knights.

Commander Wiley Gave them hearty Knightly greeting, and resigned the chair in the East to the Inspecting Officer.

The Inspecting Officer requested the Deputy Grand Warder to obtain from the Commander of Boston Commandery the charter of the Commandery, The records, Bylaws and the Constitution of the Grand Encampment; also the Rituals in their possession. After his examination, they were returned to the Commander.

Inspection

The Inspecting officer requested the Deputy Grand Warder to count the number of Sir Knights members of Boston Commandery in uniform, and he reported as follows.

Members in Uniform	346	
Not in uniform	000	
Visitors present in uniform	3	
" not in uniform	14	
Suite	58	
Total		421

Work of the Order of the Temple

The Inspecting officer resigned the chair to the Commander, and the officers conferred the balance of the Order of the Temple on Companion George Whitcomb Wyman.

The Commander called upon the Inspecting officer for a few remarks, and as the Grand Inspector Instructor was obliged to retire early in the evening, the Inspecting officer announced the following mark 9- .

During his speech he complimented the Commandery upon their excellent work with the assurance that he had never experienced any better, but owing to the inability of the Commandery in obtaining the required 50% of the members to be present, the mark was as high as could be obtained.

The Commander then called upon the Grand Commander who spoke very flatteringly in regard to the work that he had observed in the evening noting the fact that he was as good as any Commandery in the jurisdiction. He also made some remarks in regard to the celebration June 24th at Worcester, and of the Educational Fund of the Grand Commandery.

Em Sir Rev Francis W Gibbs, Associate Grand prelate, made some very interesting remarks, and expressed the pleasure he received in being present during the evening.

Retiring of the Suite.

Em Sir Burleigh announced at this time that having finished his inspection ceremonies he and his suite would retire. Before ordering the escort to be formed Commander Wiley presented to the Inspecting officer and the Deputy Grand Warder a souvenir of the occasion, and they each responded thanking the Commander for his thoughtfulness. The Inspecting officer and suite then retired.

Closing

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed in Form at 9:45 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
Recorder

The following applications were read.

Comp. Hugh John Cromie
Residence 72 Walnut st Brookline
Occupation Carpenter & Builder
Place of business 360 A Washington st Brookline
Member of Adelphi Lodge Roxbury & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Leslie C Small

Comp. Robert Bigelow Dawes
Residence 419 Main st Everett
Occupation Agent for Brass & Copper Mills
Place of business 80 State st Boston
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights N F Bechtel & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Elwin Danforth
Residence 88 Stoughton st Dorchester
Occupation Carpenter & Builder
Place of business 26 Edinboro st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Carl Winthrop Jonsson
Residence 1404 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Vice Pres Insurance Co
Place of business 142 Berkley st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge Boston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Walter E Duncan & Joseph W Work

Comp. John Albert Lines
Residence 1075 Boylston st Boston
Place of business 901 Boylston st Boston
Member of Cincinnati Lodge #3 N. J. & Madison Chapter #27 N. J.
Recommended by Sir Knights Glenn W Lawrence & Philip B Bradbury

Comp. Emil Louis Loeb
Residence 38 Quincy st Boston
Occupation Paint Mfg
Place of business 110 High st Boston
Member of Gate of the Temple South Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir George T Wiley & Sir Knight Kenneth Campbell

Comp. Ralph Leslie Mearns
Residence 9 Regina Rd Dorchester
Occupation Wool merchant
Place of business 176 Federal st Boston
Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard & Joseph W Work

Comp. Edward Joseph Newell
Residence Boston Art Club Boston
Occupation Investments
Place of business 53 State st Boston
Member of Eleusis Lodge Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Dennie P Small & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. William Albert Ochiltree
Residence 117 Davis Ave Brookline
Occupation Banking
Place of business 199 Washington st Boston
Member of Beth horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Leslie C Small

Comp. George Arthur Quackenbush
Residence 113 Hillside Rd Watertown
Occupation Public accountant
Place of business 141 Milk st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge Boston & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. Karl John von Betzen
Residence 175 Somerset Ave Winthrop
Occupation Wood working machinery
Place of business 323 Dorchester Ave So Boston W H Field Co
Member of Winthrop Lodge Winthrop & Winthrop R A Chapter Winthrop
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles W Howard & Joseph W Work

Comp. Henry Marshall Walker
Residence 217 Harvard st Brookline
Occupation Retail Coal Merchant
Place of business 496 First st So Boston
Member of Beth horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Winfield L Nourse & Joseph W Work

For Membership

Comp. Arthur Little Tirrell
Residence 33 Pinkney st Boston
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 40 Broad st Boston
Member of Blue Hill Lodge Canton & Mt Zion R A Chapter Stoughton and
Cyprus Commandery K T Hyde Park
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry E Seavey & M Arthur Weeks

Asylum of Boston Commandery K^T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, June 17, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 10 o'clock A. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committee upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Hugh John Cromie
 Comp. Robert Bigelow Dawes
 Comp. William Elwin Danforth
 Comp. Carl Winthrop Jonsson
 Comp. John Albert Lines
 Comp. Emil Louis Loeb
 Comp. Ralph Leslie Mears
 Comp. Edward Joseph Newell
 Comp. William Albert Othiltree
 Comp. Karl John von Betzen
 Comp. Henry Marshall Walker

For Membership

The application of Sir Knight Arthur Little Tirrell upon ballot was rejected.

The application for the Orders of Comp. George Arthur Quackenbush release of jurisdiction from Gethesame Commandery, Newtonville, was denied.

Deaths

The Commander announced the death of Sir Knight Loring W Ferdinand. Knighted October 9, 1883, Died May 21, 1925.

Letters

Letters were received from the following parties acknowledging

flowers.

Mrs. Loring W. Ferdinand and family
The Rev. and Mrs. Henry K Sherrill

A letter from Sir Knight F. B. Wadleigh announcing the illness of Sir Knight John R. Newman.

A letter from Worshipful William H Sanger of Faith Lodge Charlestown thanking the officers of Boston Commandery for the excellent representation of the Work in Faith Lodge on Friday June 12th.

Dispensation

A dispensation from Asa C Jewett, Grand Commander, dated June 9th, 1925, granting the permission to confer the degrees of the Red Cross, Malta and Order of the Temple on twenty candidates on June 17th, 1925, was received.

Committee

Upon motion of Eminent Sir Frederick H Briggs it was voted to appoint a Committee to procure a Past Commander's sword and belt to be presented to the Eminent Commander George T Wiley, at the September Conclave.

Nominating Committee

It was voted to appoint a Nominating Committee to bring in a list of names for the Nomination of officers for Boston Commandery at the September meeting for the ensuing year. The Committee appointed were

Em Sir Eugene A Holton, chairman
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Sir Knight Frank L Morse
Sir Knight Wilbert Soule
Sir Knight Forrest F Hall

Conclave

It was voted to omit the Conclaves for July and August for 1925.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple and opened a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross for the presentation of candidates, and the following companions were presented and the Order was conferred under the direction of the Generalissimo Frank O. Clark.

Comp. Hugh John Cromie
Comp. Robert Bigelow Dawes
Comp. William Elwin Danforth

Comp. Carl Winthrop Jonsson
 Comp. John Albert Lines
 Comp. Emil Louis Loeb
 Comp. Ralph Leslie Mears
 Comp. Edward Joseph Newell
 Comp. William Albert Ochiltree
 Comp. Karl John von Betzen
 Comp. Henry Marshall Walker
 Comp. Charles Albert Beals
 Comp. Warren Earle Kell
 Comp. Albert Henry Truesdell
 Comp. Louis Pirovano
 Comp. Gurney Hugh Macdonald
 Comp. Milton William Vedder

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having finished conferring the Order a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by Capt. General Charles L Hamilton.

Order of the Temple

The Priory of the Order of Malta having finished the ceremonies the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Lunch

The Commander announced that a lunch would be served at this time and the officers, and Sir Knights marched to the banquet hall.

Visitor

Sir Knight C. Kimball Crane of Visalia Commandery # 26 K. T. of Visalia, Cal. was a guest of the Commandery.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple and the following Companions were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred in Full Form.

Comp. Hugh John Cromie
 Comp. Robert Bigelow Dawes
 Comp. William Elwin Danforth
 Comp. Carl Winthrop Jonsson
 Comp. John Albert Lines
 Comp. Emil Louis Loeb
 Comp. Ralph Leslie Mears
 Comp. Edward Joseph Newell
 Comp. William Albert Ochiltree
 Comp. Karl John von Betzen

Comp. Henry Marshall Walker
Comp. Charles Albert Beals
Comp. Warren Earl Kells
Comp. Albert Henry Truesdell
Comp. Louis Pirovano
Comp. Gurney Hugh Macdonald
Comp. Milton William Vedder

Past Commanders Present

The following Past Commanders assisted the officers in the dispatch of the business of the Commandery.

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Em Sir George U Bauer
Em Sir Charles W Howard

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed at 5:50 P. M. and the Commander invited the Officers and Sir Knights to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed the regular dinner also an entertainment prepared by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Senior Warden.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph C. Cronk
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.,

Wednesday, September /6, 1925

The One Hundred and Twentieth Conclave

Members Meeting

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization excepting the Treasurer and Recorder.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

The following applications were read

Comp. George Chipman Ames

Residence 2000 Dorchester Ave Dorchester

Occupation Conductor

Place of business Milton Car Station B E

Member of Union Lodge Dorchester & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Raymond Lang & Harold W Martin

Comp. Charles Russell Baker

Residence 19 Rockview st Jamaica Plain

Occupation Salesman

Place of business Walker & Pratt Mfg Co 31 Union st Boston

Member of Paul Revere Lodge Boston & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knight George L H Stevenson & Henry B Sprague

Comp. Emdon Burtal Cornwell

Residence 979 South st Roslindale

Occupation Builder

Place of business 979 South st Roslindale

Member of Macedonian Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Carl Jewell Downing

Residence West Somerville

Occupation Factory Supt

Place of business 39 Brighton Ave Boston

Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville

Comp. Burton Gordon Gillespie

Residence 210 Winthrop Rd Brookline

Occupation Salesman

Place of business 140 Oliver st Boston

Member of Eliot Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur M Blades & Charles B Wood

Comp. George Samuel Grow

Residence 25 Barrett st Revere

Occupation Expert Motion Picture Projection

Place of business 175 Huntington Ave Boston

Member of Mt Tabor Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Nicholas F Bechtel & Em Sir George T Wiley

Comp. Clayton Locke Havey

Residence 140 Church st W Roxbury

Occupation Builder

Place of business 140 Church st W Roxbury

Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knights John A Havey & John A Johnson

Comp. Joseph Duryea Hildreth

Residence 88 Berkshire Rd Newtonville

Occupation Auto salesman

Place of business 894 Com'lth Ave Boston

Member of Henry Price Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights John H Hildreth & Joseph W Work

Comp. John MacNeilly

Residence 10 Appleton Terr Watertown

Occupation Dentist

Place of business 110 Tremont st Boston

Member of Faith Lodge & Signet R A Chapter Charlestown

Recommended by Sir Knights William H Sanger & Grover C Hoyt

Comp. Erich Ernst Schurian

Residence 164 Sheridan Ave Medford

Occupation Baker

Place of business 69 Purchase st Boston

Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Recommended by Sir Knights Gurney H MacDonald & Ernest Whitney

Comp. Lars Arvid Svensson

Residence 39 Nikisch Ave Roslindale

Occupation Master Painter & Decorator

Place of business 127 West Brookline st Brookline

Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Charles L Hamilton

Comp. Henry ^{av}Crater Whitcomb

Residence 30 Hewlett st Roslindale

Occupation Linetype Operator

Place of business 244 Washington st Boston

Member of Aurora Lodge Fitchburg & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knights William A Watson & Joseph W Work

GRAND COMMANDERY *of* KNIGHTS TEMPLARS
and the
APPENDANT ORDERS *of* MASSACHUSETTS
and RHODE ISLAND

GENERAL ORDER
No. 7

OFFICE OF VERY EMINENT SIR CLARENCE M. DUNBAR
DEPUTY GRAND COMMANDER, ACTING GRAND COMMANDER,
PROVIDENCE, R. I., September 1, 1925.

In Memoriam



Right Eminent Sir ASA CLARKE JEWETT
Grand Commander

To the Officers and Sir Knights of the Obedience of this Grand Commandery:

It is with sorrow that I have to announce the death of Right Eminent Sir Asa Clarke Jewett, who died July 23, 1925, at the Glacier National Park Hotel, in the State of Montana, while on his way to attend the Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment at Seattle.

He was born in Pepperell, Mass., March 20, 1860.

The record of his Masonic activities is as follows:

He was raised to a Master Mason in Dalhousie Lodge Nov. 2, 1881.

He was exalted in Newton Royal Arch Chapter February 2, 1884.

Greeted in Adoniram Council March 28, 1907.

Knighted in Gethsemane Commandery June 26, 1884, and was its Recorder from September 16, 1884, to the day of his death, excepting the years 1911 and 1912, when he was Commander, and 1924 and 1925, when he was Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

He received the Grades in the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite in the Valley of Boston as follows:

Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection, 14th grade, April 6, 1888.

Giles F. Yates Council Princes of Jerusalem, 16th grade, April 13, 1888.

Mt. Olivet Chapter of Rose Croix, 18th grade, April 20, 1888.

Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret in Massachusetts Consistory, 32nd grade, April 20, 1888.

He also served this Grand Commandery, being appointed Sword Bearer in 1915 and elected Grand Junior Warden, Grand Senior Warden, Grand Captain General, Grand Generalissimo, Deputy Grand Commander and elected Grand Commander in October, 1924.

In every relation of life he was a just and upright man, his spirit of fidelity made him a useful citizen. As a business man, he succeeded because of his devotion to duty, his uncompromising integrity and his loyalty to every trust and the influence of his companionship was an inspiration. Never once in the manifest detail of little things in the level of every day life was he known to show signs of anything but the high-minded, just and self-sacrificing man and public-spirited citizen that he was.

*"Now the laborer's task is o'er;
Now the battle day is past;
Now upon the farther shore
Lands the voyager at last.
Father, in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping.*

*There the tears of earth are dried;
There its hidden things are clear;
There the work of life is tried
By a juster Judge than here.
Father, in Thy gracious keeping
Leave we now Thy servant sleeping."*

It is hereby directed that the Banner, Jewels and Altars of the Commanderies be draped in mourning for the period of ninety days, and that this General Order be read at the head of each Commandery of the Order at the first Conclave after its receipt, and that the same be made a matter of record.

Courteously and fraternally yours,

Clarence M. Dunbar,

*V. E. Deputy Grand Commander
Acting Grand Commander*



ATTEST:

Wm. Powell
Grand Recorder.

Dimits

The following Sir Knights being square on the books were granted dimits.

Sir Knight Richard O Clark
Sir Knight Rupert L Ridgeway
Sir Knight John F Rich
Sir Knight Leo Weidhorn

Letter

A letter was received from Mrs. John R Palmer of 79 Pleasant street Revere, announcing the illness of Sir Knight John R Palmer who was unfortunate enough to break his leg some days previous, and thanking the Commandery for flowers received.

Delinquents

Voted: to postpone the action on delinquents until the October Conclave.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Frank T. Goodwin
Knighted June 15, 1921 Died Sept 13, 1925

The Commander read the announcement of the death of Rt Eminent Sir Asa Clark Jewett which was reported thru General Order #7 signed by Very Eminent Deputy Grand Commander, Acting Grand Commander, Clarence M. Dunbar.

Annual Reports

The following Annual Reports were read, and were accepted and ordered to be placed upon the records.

The Armorer's Report

Boston, Sept. 16, 1925

The Armorer reports that the paraphernalia of Boston Commandery K. T. is as entered in the Armorer's record book.

Fraternally submitted

Josiah T Dyer

Armorer

Recorder's report

Treasurer's report

Report of Trustees of the Permanent Fund

Report of Trustees of Charity Fund

Report of Trustees of the Samuel C Lawrence

Charity Fund

Report of the Commander's Fund

Report of Finance Committee

Report of Nominating Committee

Report of the Nominating Committee

Boston, Sept, 1, 1925

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights;-

Your Committee appointed to nominate
Officers for Boston Commandery for the ensuing year have attended to that
duty and report as follows:

For Commander	Sir Frank O Clark
" Generalissimo	Sir Charles L Hamilton
" Capt. General	Sir William P Bullard
" Senior Warden	Sir Robert G Wilson
" Junior Warden	Sir Elmer G Page
" Treasurer	Sir Herbert A Rhodes
" Recorder	Sir Joseph W Work
" Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard

Trustee for 3 years for the Permanent and Charity Funds
Em Sir Joseph T Paul

Courteously submitted,

Eugene A Holton
Frederick H Briggs
Frank L Morse
Wilbert Soule
Forest F Hall

Committee

Dinner

The Commander announced that a dinner was in waiting and the
Officers and Sir Knights marched to the Banquet Hall where they partook
of the good things to eat and also were entertained by a program
furnished by Sir Knight William P. Bullard.

Resumed business

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple
at 8 o'clock P. M., and upon motion it was voted to proceed to ballot

for Officers for the Commandery for the ensuing year.

Balotting

The Commander appointed the following Sir Knights as a Committee to distribute, collect, sort and count ballots for Commander.

Em Sir Frederick T Comee
Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Sir Knight Wilbert Soule

The Committee reported that the whole number of votes was 157 all of which were for Sir Knight Frank O. Clark for Commander.

The Commander appointed the following Committee to notify Sir Knight Clark and he was escorted into the Commandery by the following Sir Knights, and presented to the Commander.

Rt Em Sir James S Blake, chairman
Em Sir Frederick T Comee
Em Sir John Henry Bowker
Em Sir Jesse E Ames
Em Sir Frederick C Graves
Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir George U Bauer
Em Charles W Howard
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

The Commander, George T. Wiley, informed Em. Sir Clark that he was elected Commander of Boston Commandery for the ensuing year, and it gave him great pleasure to announce the same to him.

Em Sir Clark thanked the Commandery for their confidence in him in electing him to Commander of Boston Commandery and he would endeavor to do his best to keep up the standard of Boston Commandery with the cooperation of the Sir Knights.

Commander Wiley appointed the following Committee to collect, sort and count ballots for Generalissimo, for the ensuing year.

Em Sir John H Bowker
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Sir Knight Augustus Ridgeway

The Committee having performed their duties announced that the whole number of votes were 160 all of which were for Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

Commander Wiley notified Sir Knight Hamilton of his election, and asked him if he would accept the same.

Sir Knight Hamilton thanked the Commander and also the Sir Knights for their expression of confidence and that he would endeavor to perform the duties of his office to the best of his ability.

The Commander appointed the following Committee to collect, sort and count ballots for Captain General for the ensuing year.

Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir Frederick C Graves
Sir Knight Wilbert Soule

They having performed their duty reported that the whole number of votes were 163 all of which were for William T Bullard, Capt. General.

The Commander notified Sir Knight Bullard of his election, and asked him if he would accept the same.

Sir Knight Bullard thanked the Commander and also the Sir Knights for their continued confidence in him and in electing him to the office of Captain General, and he assured the Officers and Sir Knights present that he would perform the duties to the best of his ability.

Remaining Officers

Upon motion of Em. Sir Frederick H. Briggs, it was unanimously voted that Em Sir George U. Bauer, acting Recorder, cast one vote for the remaining officers as nominated by the Committee. Em Sir Bauer having performed his duty announced the vote for the following Sir Knights for their respective offices.

For Senior Warden
Sir Knight Robert G Wilson

For Recorder
Sir Knight Joseph W Work

For Junior Warden
Sir Knight Elmer G Page

For Prelate
Em Sir Charles W Howard

For Treasurer
Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades

For Trustee for 3 years for
the Permanent and Charity
Funds

Em Sir Joseph T Paul

and the Commander announced that they were elected for the ensuing year.

Each of the above mentioned officers accepted the positions and thanked the Commandery promised that they would perform the duties to the best of their ability.

Presentations

Commander Wiley presented to Sir Knight William P Bullard a Traveling Bag from the Commandery as a slight token of their appreciation for the many pleasant occasions which Sir Knight Bullard had given the members.

Presentation of Sword and Belt

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs presented to Em Sir George T Wiley in behalf of the Commandery the regulation sword and belt as a reminder of the excellent work and the interest which he had shown in the last two years to keep up the standard which his previous Commanding Officers

had made for Boston Commandery.

Em Sir Wiley expressed his appreciation for the kind words of Em Sir Briggs, and heartily thanked the Commandery for the beautiful gift, in wearing it, it would bring to his mind the pleasant associations which he had enjoyed in being their Commander.

Installation of Officers

The Officers as elected were installed by Em Sir George T. Wiley, assisted by Em Sir George U Bauer as Grand Warder, excepting the Treasurer and Recorder.

Commander	Sir Knight Frank O Clark
Generalissime	Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton
Capt. General	Sir Knight William P Bullard
Senior Warden	Sir Knight Robert G Wilson
Junior Warden	Sir Knight Elmer G Page
Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard

The usual proclamation was declared and Em Sir Frank O Clark assumed the chair.

Closing

There being no further business, the Commandery was closed in Form at 9:50 P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Acting Recorder

Treasurer's Report

Receipts

Balance Sept, 1, 1924		2586.24
Orders		5550.00
Regalia		3250.00
Membership		100.00
Life Membership		840.00
Dues		8333.24
Cases		105.00
Dinners		877.00
New Year's Party		1437.65
North Scituate Outing		1265.00
Traveling cards		3.25
Int on Bank Balances		
Treasurer	45.07	
Recorder	37.37	
		82.44
Trustees Permanent Fund Income		4363.73
		<u>28973.55</u>

Expenditures

Grand Lodge Rent	4165.00
Past Commander's Jewel	498.75
Insurance	213.20
Collations	4645.56
Music at Meetings	199.00
Entertainment at Meetings	361.00
Regalias	2500.00
Return fees	200.00
Sentinel Salary	89.00
Flowers	120.00
Cigars	456.99
Printing Stationery & Supplies	2213.98
Closet for cigars	4.97
Installation Expenses	12.50
Inspection Expenses	27.00
Rent Safe Deposit Box	10.00
Paraphernalia & Ceremonials	127.00
Candles	5.64
Repairs to property	23.90
Bowling	4.50

Armorer

Salary	500.00	
Meetings	55.00	
Telephone & Sundries	32.83	587.83

Recorder

Salary	500.00
Telephone	24.00

Storage	84.00	
Diplomas	37.00	
Copying records	30.00	
Storage of records	10.00	
Typing By-Laws	5.00	
Rubber stamp	2.50	
Travelings cards	<u>4.50</u>	697.00

Funerals

Flowers	300.00	
Armorer	33.00	
Music	30.00	
Automobiles	43.00	
Advertising	<u>31.00</u>	431.00

New Year's Party

Printing	291.05	
Grand Lodge Rent	120.00	
Flowers	99.00	
Piano	50.00	
Collation	1239.75	
Decorations	25.00	
Music	100.00	
Favors	86.47	
Entertainment	185.00	
Candy	132.30	
Tips, police & Sundries	85.00	
Ticket refund	<u>8.00</u>	2421.57

Children's Party

Grand Lodge Rent	50.00	
Piano	25.00	
Refreshments	146.36	
Candy	32.20	
Chairs	10.00	
Stage	5.00	
Favors	28.50	
Entertainment	<u>141.28</u>	438.34

Ascension Sunday

Printing	39.50	
Grand Lodge Rent	50.00	
Band	187.00	
Copley Plaza	<u>428.40</u>	704.90

Worcester St John's Day

Railroad fares	428.80	
Band	275.00	
Collation	<u>586.00</u>	1289.80

North Scituate

Printing	49.75	
Favors	29.87	
Candy	26.14	
Prizes and sports	94.67	
Hotal	990.00	
Tips & sundries	48.50	
Ticket Money returned	<u>84.00</u>	1322.93

Grand Commandery

Dues	732.00	
Candidates	365.00	
Grand Encampment	<u>1464.00</u>	2561.00

Trustees Permanent Fund

Life Members	840.00	
10%	<u>1378.32</u>	<u>2218.32</u>
		28550.68

Balance

<u>242.87</u>
28793.55

Boston Commandery K T
 Boston, September 16, 1925

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery
 Your Recorder submits herewith his Annual Report.

Number of Members Sept. 1924	1435	
Admitted during the year	73	
Affiliated "	<u>1</u>	
Total		1509

Less		
Number dimited during the year	2	
Number died "	<u>43</u>	
Total	45	<u>45</u>

Present membership 1464

Membership is as follows

September 17, 1924		
Life Members	286	
Made during the year	<u>7</u>	
	293	
Died during the year	<u>13</u>	
	280	
Honorary & Life	7	
Honorary	<u>8</u>	
	295	
Paying members	<u>1169</u>	
Total		1464

Cash Received

Orders	5550
Regalia	3250
Dues	8333.24
Life Membership	840.00
Membership	100.00
Dinners	877.00
Cases	105.00
Traveling cards	3.25
Interest on deposit	<u>37.37</u>
	19095.86

Paid to Herbert A Rhoades, Treas

19095.86

Initiates Order of the Temple

Harry Austin Campbell	Nov 19, 1924
Arthur Stewart Cameron	"
Walter Earle Duncan	"
Hugh Richmond Ferguson	"
Payson Clark Francis	"
Herbert Emil Heidrich	"
Raymond Lang	"
Vincent Joseph Pollina	"
Ernest Jesseman Smith	"
Chester Francis Soule	"
Leonard Cliff Webb	"
Edgar William Allen	Jan. 21, 1925
George Albert French	"
Elmer Arthur Somerville	"
Nathaniel Treat Worthen	"
Harry Wesley Curtis	"
James Francis Munroe	"
Frederick Gordon Smith	"
George Warren Austin	"
Everett Eugene Black	"
Henry Haeberle	"
John Willis Jackson	"
Colin Ezra Ham	March 16, 1925
Hermann Hagen Howard	"
George Leslie Maynard	"
Josiah Barrows Thomas	"
Ocar Bernhard Benson	"
James Brown	"
Myron Winthrop Sparks	"
Albert Paine Smith	"
George Delaware Bourcy	March 18, 1925
James Watt Eadie Jr	"
James Joseph Curry	"
William Freeman Damon	"
Bernard Edwin Groenewold	"
William Othon Lima	"
John Kirk Semple Mills	"
John Kirk Semple	"
Charles Stanley Tupper	"
Thomas Colby Brooks	May 18, 1925
Everett Smith Cofran	"
Herbert Barrows Fisher	"
John Russell Palmer	"
Arthur Bruce McConnell	"
Rudolph Lippold	"
Clarence Edward Robinson	"
William Albert Robinson	"
Joseph Kinsman Dennis	"
Percy Hilton Howe	"
Martin John Heiligmann Jr	"
William Martin Heiligmann	"
Clarence Maxwell Mixer	"
Frank Ripley Nickerson	"

Leslie Chase Small	May 18, 1925
Henry Alan Steeves	"
George Whitcomb Wyman	May 20, 1925
Charles Albert Beals	June 17, 1925
Louis Pirovano	"
Gurney Hugh MacDonald	"
Albert Henry Truesdell	"
Milton William Vedder	"
Hugh John Cromie	"
Robert Bigelow Dawes	"
William Elwin Danforth	"
Carl Winthrop Jonsson	"
John Albert Lines	"
Emil Louis Loeb	"
Ralph Leslie Mears	"
Edward Joseph Newell	"
William Albert Ochiltree	"
Karl John von Betzen	"
Henry Marshall Walker	"
Warren Earl Kell	"

Affiliated

Sir Knight Arthur Lincoln England February 18, 1925

Rejections

Sir Knight Arthur Little Tirrell rejected for Membership June 17, 1925

Demitted

Sir Knight George Alton Schaefer	October 19, 1924
Sir Knight Albert James Gardner	"

Deaths

Clarence E Learned		Aug 28, 1924
Charles A Bernard		Aug 15, 1924
Frank B Gilbreth		June 1924
Louis J Sackett		Sept 14 1924
Andrew J Scorer		Sept 14 1924
Edward O Blanchard		Sept 15 1924
Frederick S Brine		Sept 17 1924
Sidney M Hedges		Oct 22 1924
William A Moffett		Oct 5 1924
Thomas N Cook		Oct 22 1924
Charles A Koerber		Oct 22 1924
Francis E Page	Life	Oct 24 1924
George F Parker	Life	Oct 26 1924
Charles A Coe		Oct 31 1924
Charles A Hearsey	Life	Nov 7 1924
Edward T Polle		Nov 10 1924
Charles H Danforth	Life	Nov 11 1924
Albert B Freeman		Nov 19 1924

George M Weston		Nov 25, 1924
William Eadie		Dec 2 1924
Erwin R Graves		Dec 22 1924
Rufus Holman	Life	Dec 23 1924
Harry Miller		Jan 14 1925
Lemuel H Howe	Life	Jan 23 1925
Frank Harlow		Jan 23 1925
William A Morse		Jan 26 1925
William B Watts		Feb 1 1925
Robert Berwick	Life	Feb 1925
George E Homer	Life	Feb 1 1925
Arthur F Teel		Feb 10 1925
George P Page	Life	Feb 25 1925
Granville Austin		Mar 4 1925
Fred M Kimball		Mar 10 1925
John Tripp	Life	Mar 12 1925
William E Hardy		Mar 18 1925
Julius A Smith		Mar 25 1925
Richmond G Stoebr	Life	Apr 1 1925
Alman L Eastman	Life	Apr 16 1925
James P Phinney		May 4 1925
Fred H Carpenter		May 5 1925
Andrew W Preston	Life	Sept 26 1924
Lorin W Ferdinand		May 2 1925
Ernest E Holmes		June 1925

Courteously yours,

Joseph W. Worn

Recorder

Boston, Sept. 16, 1925

Report of Trustees of Permanent Fund

Balance Sept 1, 1924	1070.89
Received Income from Investments	4363.73
" Edison Electric Ill Co Notes paid	2000.00
" Return Interest Puget Sound Power & Lt Bds	19.10
" Boston Commandery Life Memberships	840.00
" 10% receipts	<u>1378.32</u>
	9672.04

Payments

\$1000 Puget Sound Power & Light 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 97	970.00
Interest 4/5	19.10
2000 Los Angeles Gas & Elect 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 100	2000.00
Interest 1/28	17.72
Deposited in Medford Savings Bank	126.32
" " Boston Penny Savings Bank	94.21
Paid Boston Commandery Income	4363.73
Balance	<u>2080.96</u>
	9672.04

The Investments of the Fund are as follows:-

5000 Am Tel & Tel Co Colltl Trust 4s 1929 # 53753-5612-14725-17709-61932	5000.00
10000 Atch Top & Santa Fe Genl Mtg Gold 4s 1995 # M 107001 M107010	10000.00
3000 Baltimore & Ohio 1st Mtg Gold 4s 1948 # M 25121 M25123	3000.00
5000 Boston Elevated Ry Gold 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1941 # 2724 2728	5000.00
2000 Boston Elevated Ry 6s 1933 # 2227 2228	2000.00
4000 Boston & Albany Imp Bonds of 1908 1933 # 266/269	4000.00
1000 Boston & Maine 4% 1926 # 1791	1000.00
2500 Boston & Maine 10 year Mtg series F 1930 o% # A 3520 \$1000 471/473 \$500 each	2500.00

3000 Chic Bus & Quin Nebraska Exten 4s 1927 # 2137-15874/15875	3000.00
2000 Chic Rock Island & Pacific 1st & Ref Mtg # 20550/20551 Gold 4s 1934	2000.00
3000 Denver & Rio Grande 1st Cons Mtg Gold 4s 1936 # 13386-560-13156	3000.00
2000 Eastern Mass St Ry Ref Mtg series A 1948 # 10965/10966 $4\frac{1}{2}\%$	2000.00
100 Eastern Mass St Ry Ref Mtg series D 1948 # 643 6%	100.00
2000 Electrical securities Corp Coll 5s 1939 # G 498/G499	2000.00
1000 Electrical Securities Corp Coll 5s 1941 # J 295	1000.00
4000 Lake Shore Mich So Gold Deb 4s 1928 # M 35775 M 9868/M9869- M 7942	4000.00
2000 Los Angeles Gas & Elec $5\frac{1}{2}\%$ 1949 \$ M 6414-M 6415	2000.00
3000 New York Central Com Gold Deb 6s 1935 # M 23859- M 54555- M 13546	3000.00
2000 New York Telephone 1st & Gen Mtg Gold $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ 1939 # M 2977 M 23043	2000.00
2000 Northern Pacific Prior Lien & Land Grant 4s 1997 \$ 64833- M 24762	2000.00
2000 Oregon & Wash'n RR & Nav Co 1st Mtg \$ 41688-M41689 Series A 4s 1961	2000.00
2000 Pacific Light & Power 1st Mtg Gold 5s 1942 # 1999-2000	2000.00
2000 Pennsylvania R R Cons Mtg 4s 1948 \$ 54842-47483	2000.00
1000 Phil & Reading Cial & Iron Ref Mtg Gold 5s 1973 # M15723	1000.00
1000 Puget Sound Power & Light $5\frac{1}{2}\%$ 1949 # M2996	1000.00
2000 Reading Co Genl & Ref Mtg Gold $4\frac{1}{2}\%$ series A 1997 # 51131 M 51130	2000.00
3000 St Louis San Francisco Equipment 5s 1934 series AA #4559/4961	3000.00

2000 So California Gen & Ref Mtg Gold 5s 1944 # M34238 M 34239	2000.00
2000 Union Pacific 20 year Con Gold 4s 1927 # M 3761 M 42782	2000.00
4000 U. S. 1st 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1947 # C0027253 D00272544-B 00272545	4000.00
2000 U S 3d 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1928 # 215877-215878- \$500 each 786551 \$1000.00	2000.00
2500 U S 4th 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1938 # H00442978 \$500 J00721959 K 00721960 \$ 1000 each	2500.00
2000 U S Gold Notes 1927 \$ 20955-20956	2000.00
2000 Upper Coos RR 4s 1930 # 155 169	2000.00
2000 Western Union Colltl Trust 5s 1938 # 8499- 2292	2000.00
1000 Wilmington City Elect 1st Mtg Gold 5s 1951 # 3	1000.00
Book # 83476 Boston Penny Savings Bank	2164.84
" 6456 Medford Savings Bank	2902.64
Deposited in Commercial Security National Bank	2080.96
33 Shares Pere Marquette Common stock ctf 012638 Market value Aug 31	<u>2376.00</u>

Amount of Fund

100624.44

Also Scrip certificates #c2028 \$12 C2057 \$66
a face value of \$78.00 Pere Marquette Common stock

The property of the Commandery is insured thru Sir Knight
Frank W Richards for \$40000.00.

Courteously submitted

George T Wiley
Herbert A Rhoades
Eugene A Holton
Joseph T Paul

Committee

Boston, Sept, 16, 1925

Report of Trustees of Charity Fund

Received

<u>Dividends</u>	Malden Savings Bank	68.80
	Boston Penny Savings Bank	34.04
	Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank	81.94
	Home Savings Bank	71.10
	Chelsea "	73.40
	Dorchester "	54.49
	Warren Institution for Savings	76.42
	Brighton 5¢ Savings Bank	5.48
	Cambridge "	81.50
	East Boston "	90.48

Donation

Mrs Mary A Sawyer	50.00
	<u>678.65</u>

Paid sundry persons relief	531.47
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Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bank	56.70
" East Boston "	<u>90.48</u>
	678.65

Fund now consists of

Book #	89162	Boston Penny Savings Bank	698.61
	19186	Brighton 5¢ "	122.64
	56344	Cambridge "	1630.84
	76293	Charlestown 5¢ "	1639.18
	73245	Chelsea "	1631.14
	13309	Dorchester "	1282.86
	68753	East Boston "	1878.16
	129411	Home "	1580.20
	51648	Malden "	1376.36
	86250	Warren Inst for Savings	<u>1498.22</u>
			13338.23

Respectfully submitted

George T Wiley
Herbert A Rhoades
Eugene A Holton
Joseph T Paul

Committee Charity Fund

September 16, 1925

Report of Trustees of Charity Fund

Samuel C Lawrence Fund

Received Coupons N Y Central RR	120.00
" " American Tel & Tel	100.00
" " U S Treasury Note	47.50
" U S Treasury Note paid	1000.00
" Dividends Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>31.97</u>
	1299.47
Deposited in Essex Savings Bank, Lawrence	1000.00
" Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>299.47</u>
	1299.47

Fund now consists of

Book # 228194 Essex Savings Bank, Lawrence	1000.00
" 148394 Boston Penny Savings Bank	1006.25
American Tel & Tel 30 year Coll Tr 5s 1946 #48738 29209	2000.00
N. Y. Centl 20 year Convert Del 6s 1935 #M 32342/43	<u>2000.00</u>
	6006.25

Respectfully submitted

George T Wiley
Herbert A Rhoades
Eugene A Holton
Joseph T Paul

Trustees Charity Fund

Boston, September, 16, 1925

Report of Trustees of the Commander's Fund

Income for year

Federal Land Grant Bond	23.75
Boston Penny Savings Bank Dvds	<u>3.50</u>
	27.25

Paid

George T Wiley, Commander	25.00
Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>2.25</u>
	27.25

The Fund is invested as follows

Federal Land Bank Bond 4 3/4% 1953	500.00
Book # 157566 Boston Penny Savings	<u>82.98</u>

Courteously submitted

George T Wiley
Herbert A Rhoades
Eugene A Holton
Joseph T Paul

Trustees Commander's Fund

Sept 16, 1925

Boston Commandery K T

To the Officers and Members of Boston Commandery K T

Your Finance Committee submits herewith their Annual Report.

We have examined the books of the Recorder and Treasurer and Trustees and find them correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements.

Recorder

The Recorder's report which you have heard read states that we have Knighted 73 and had affiliates 1 which added to the members September 1924 1435 making a total of 1509.

Owing to the great number of deaths viz 43 and 2 dimitted makes the present number of members 1464 a gain of 29

You must realize that as our Commandery has a large percentage of older members which accounts for the increase of death rate.

Treasurer

The Treasurer had on hand September 1924 \$2586.24

Received from all sources including the income of the Permanent Fund which amounted to 4363.73	26207.31
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Total	28793.55
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Paid out per order of the Council as per vouchers	28550.68
Balance on hand	242.87
	<u>28793.55</u>

Our increase of expenditures has been caused by extra expenses viz

The Children's Party which was attended by many of the families of the Sir Knights was enjoyed for the first time for some years which incurred an expense of about \$500.00.

The Worcester celebration attendance which was ordered by the Grand Commandery was an event participated in by 300 Sir Knights and our Boston Commandery Band.

Boston Commandery was the only Commandery to give the Sir Knights transportation and banquet at this celebration without any expense of any kind to the Sir Knights who attended which was one of the most enjoyable occasions ever given by our Commandery at the expense of about \$1300.00.

The assets of the Commandery at the present time are as follows:-

Permanent Fund	100624.44
Charity Fund	13338.23
Samuel C Lawrence Charity Fund	6006.25
Commanders Fund	582.98
General Fund Cash balance	<u>248.87</u>

Total	120800.77
Assets for the Commandery for 1924	<u>118082.64</u>

Increase during the year 1925	2718.13
Increase during the year 1924	<u>3251.04</u>

Total for two years 5969.17

Signed

George T Wiley Commander
Frank O Clark Generalissimo
Charles L Hamilton Captain General

The ONE HUNDRED and TWENTIETH
ANNUAL CONCLAVE



ASA C. JEWETT

WILL BE HELD IN THE
CITY OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 29TH

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

1925

AND OF THE ORDER 807

The GRAND COMMANDERY of KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island



IR KNIGHT:

You are hereby notified that the one hundred and twentieth Annual Conclave of the *Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island* will be held in *Masonic Temple*, in the City of BOSTON, Massachusetts,

Thursday, October 29th

A.D. 1925, A.O. 807

at TEN FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK in the forenoon, for the transaction of such business as shall regularly come before it.

Your prompt attendance is courteously requested.

By order of

CLARENCE M. DUNBAR,

*Deputy Grand Commander,
Acting Grand Commander.*



Em. Sir Benjamin W. Rowell

Grand Recorder.

Room 206 Masonic Temple,
Boston, Mass.

Officers and Committees to Report

- No. 1 — Committee on Credentials*
Em. Sir DANIEL C. HUNT Em. Sir AMBROSE B. WHITE Em. Sir WILLIAM E. LITTLE
- No. 2 — Grand Recorder*
Em. Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL
- No. 3 — Grand Treasurer*
R. E. Sir FRANK L. NAGLE
- No. 4 — Trustees of the Grand Fund*
Em. Sir ARTHUR G. POLLARD Em. Sir ALBERT L. ANTHONY Em. Sir WILLIAM J. HOBBS
- No. 5 — Committee on Finance*
Em. Sir FREDERICK T. COLEMAN Em. Sir FRANK B. LAWLER Em. Sir CHARLES J. CORWIN
- No. 6 — Annual Address of the Acting Grand Commander*
V. E. Sir CLARENCE M. DUNBAR
- No. 7 — Committee on Jurisprudence*
R. E. Sir JAMES J. FLANDERS R. E. Sir FRANK B. LAWLER R. E. Sir J. ALBERT BLAKE
- No. 8 — Committee on Charters, Dispensations and Jurisdictional Lines*
R. E. Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON R. E. Sir FREDERICK I. DANA R. E. Sir EDSON K. HUMPHREY
R. E. Sir WILLIAM W. JOHNSON Em. Sir FRANK B. KENNEY
- No. 9 — Committee on By-Laws*
R. E. Sir FREDERICK I. DANA Em. Sir RAYMOND E. BOLLES Em. Sir ALMON B. CILLEY
- No. 10 — Committee on Fraternal Correspondence*
Em. Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL
- No. 11 — Committee on Necrology*
Em. Sir and Rev. R. PERRY BUSH Em. Sir ALVIN F. PEASE Em. Sir ALBERT L. ANTHONY
- No. 12 — Committee on Educational Fund*
V. E. Sir CLARENCE M. DUNBAR Em. Sir ARTHUR S. VAUGHN
Em. Sir FREDERICK H. BRIGGS Em. Sir and Rev. FRANCIS W. GIBBS
Em. Sir THEODORE R. LOCKWOOD Em. Sir ETHELBERT V. GRABILL
Em. Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT Sir Knight HENRY H. HARRIS
- No. 13 — Committee on Elimination of the Semi-Annual Conclave*
R. E. Sir FREDERICK I. DANA, Chairman R. E. Sir WALTER W. BURNHAM
R. E. Sir HARRY G. POLLARD R. E. Sir FRANK L. NAGLE
R. E. Sir HENRY C. DEXTER
- No. 14 — Committee of the Day*
Em. Sir EUGENE A. HOLTON Em. Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL Em. Sir GEORGE J. WILEY
- No. 15 — Election of Grand Officers at 2 o'clock P.M.*
- No. 16 — Installation of Grand Officers*

JEWELS

The R. E. Grand Commander requests that members of the Grand Commandery wear Jewels appropriate to their rank during the Conclave, at which a full attendance is requested.



For Eminent Commander,
Sir Knight FRANK O. CLARK.

For Generalissimo,
Sir Knight CHARLES L. HAMILTON.

For Captain General,
Sir Knight WILLIAM P. BULLARD.

For Senior Warden,
Sir Knight ROBERT G. WILSON.

For Junior Warden,
Sir Knight ELMER G. PAGE.

For Prelate,
Em. Sir CHARLES W. HOWARD.

For Treasurer,
Sir Knight HERBERT A. RHOADES.

For Recorder,
Sir Knight JOSEPH W. WORK.

For Trustees for the Permanent and Charity Funds
for three years,

Sir Knight LEON M. ABBOTT.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, October 21, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Annual Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports, they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. George Chipman Ames
Comp. Charles Russell Baker
Comp. Emdon Burtal Cornwall
Comp. Carl Jewell Downing
Comp. Burton Gordon Gillespie
Comp. Clayton Locke Havey
Comp. Erich Ernst Schurian
Comp. Lars Arvid Svensson
Comp. Henry Carter Whitcomb

The applications of George Samuel Grow of Revere, Mass., and Companion Joseph Duryea Hildreth, Companion John MacNeilly were held over until the next Conclave as release of jurisdiction had not been received.

Deaths

The Commander announced the death of Sir Knight Richard N Davis. Knighted Nov. 20, 1907 Died December 11, 1922
The above announcement received October 19, 1925.

Grand Commandery Notice

The notice of the One Hundred and Twentieth Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island received. Conclave to take place at Boston, Mass., Thursday, October 29th in Masonic Temple at 10:45 o'clock A. M.

Halloween Night

Voted: To have a Halloween party on October 31, 1925,

the Council having full powers to make all arrangements.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery from the Order of the Temple to the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and the following Companions were introduced, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L. Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Comp. George Chyman Ames
Comp. Charles Russell Baker
Comp. Emdon Burtal Cornwall
Comp. Carl Jewell Downing
Comp. Burtam Gordon Gillespie
Comp. Clayton Locke Havey
Comp. Lars Arvid Svensson
Comp. Henry Carter Whitcomb

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the Banquet Hall, where after participating in the good things, they were entertained by a company furnished thru Capt. General William P. Bullard.

Resumed business

The Commandery resumed business on the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross at 8:15 P. M., and the above named Companions were introduced, and they received the Order of the Red Cross.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having finished their ceremonies, a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened, and the above named Companions were introduced and the ceremonies were conducted by the Captain General, Sir Knight William P. Bullard.

Closing

The Ceremonies of the Priory of the Order of Malta having been finished, the Commandery was closed without Form at 9:30 o'clock P. M.

A True Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wom

Recorder

Oct. 21, 1925

Delinquents

Voted: That all Sir Knights owing two years dues or more shall be notified by the Recorder that if said dues were not paid by January 1st, 1926 or some explanation in regard to the same be received they would stand suspended on the books of the Commandery.

Attendance

Members	201	
Visitors	5	
Candidates	8	
Total		214

Dinners

Cards returned	121	
No cards	18	
Complimentary	122	
Total		261

Received \$137.00

23 cards received but Sir Knights did not report.

Joseph W. Worn
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Special Conclave

Friday November 13, 1925

A Special Conclave was opened without Form at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of attending the funeral of Em Sir George Thomas Wiley who passed away November 10, 1925.

The following officers were present.

Em Sir Frank O Clark	Commander
Sir Charles L Hamilton	Generalissimo
Sir William T Bullard	Capt General
Sir Robert G Wilson	Senior Warden
Sir Elmer G Page	Junior Warden
Sir John A Johnson	Warder
Em Sir Charles W Howard	Prelate
Sir Rev Francis B White	Associate Prelate and sixty-one Sir Knights in uniform.

Taking a special conveyance to the Pilgrim Congregational Church at Uphams Corner where the ceremonies were conducted by Frederick W Hamilton, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, and the Templar services by the above named officers of Boston Commandery.

The church was filled not only by the Sir Knights in uniform, but other Sir Knights and Masons and friends of Sir Knight Wiley.

The Pall beares were as follows:-

Rt Wor. Brother Curtis Chipman representing the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts

R. E. Winthrop J. Cushing representing the Grand R A Chapter of Massachusetts.

R. Em Sir Clarence M. Dunbar representing the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Ill Brother Walter Bradley Trip, 33rd, representing Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix.

Em Sir George U. Bauer representing Boston Commandery.

Thrice Ill Edwin H Dyer representing Boston Council R & S M

E. Ralph Lowe Jr representing Dorchester R A Chapter.

Wor. Brother Hans H M Berghardt representing Rabbeni Lodge

Ill Brother Eugene A Holton 33rd representing Massachusetts Consistory
 Brother Guy A Ham representing Giles F Yates Council P of J
 Brother Edward N West representing Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection
 Ill Brother Joseph W Work representing Aleppo Temple

At the conclusion of the ceremonies the officers and Sir Knights were conveyed to the Masonic Temple, and the Commandery was closed without Form.

Attest:

Joseph W Work
 Recorder

George Thomas Wiley

Born in Charlestown, Mass., August 16, 1884

Raised in Rabboni Lodge October 16, 1902

Worshipful Master December 19, 1912

District Deputy Grand Master for the Fourth Masonic District for 1919-20

Exalted in Dorchester R A Chapter February 24, 1903

Excellent High Priest September 23, 1913

District Deputy Grand High Priest for the First District elected December 9, 1924, and held that position when he died.

Boston Council R & S Masters November 22, 1906

Thrice Ill Master September 24, 1914

Grand Captain of the Guard 1916

Knighted in Boston Commandery K T February 16, 1910

Elected Commander of Boston Commandery K T September 19, 1923

Scottish Rite Bodies

Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection October 2, 1908

Giles F Yates Council P of J October 9, 1908

Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix October 16, 1908

Massachusetts Consistory January 8, 1909

Elected Most Wise Master of Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix April 17, 1925

Died November 10, 1925

GRAND COMMANDERY'S KNIGHTS TEMPLARS, AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND

ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF CLARENCE M. DUNBAR
GRAND COMMANDER
88 SPRAGUE STREET, PROVIDENCE, R. I.

GENERAL ORDER No. 1. Series 1925-1926.

OFFICE OF THE R.:E.: GRAND COMMANDER,
PROVIDENCE, R. I., November 4, 1925.

To all Knights Templars within the Jurisdiction of this Grand Commandery:

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Grand Officers attending the various functions, official or social, of the Grand Commandery, or subordinate Commanderies, shall appear in full Templar regalia unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander, and should on all possible occasions be accompanied by their Deputy Grand Warder.
2. The inspection suite should consist of the following: Officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Past Grand Commanders, Commanders of Commanderies in this Jurisdiction, Generalissimos, Captain Generals, Past Commanders and Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions who may be in attendance and in regalia. *All Officers shall be in full Templar uniform.*
3. All Grand Commandery Officers, Past Grand Commanders, also Past Commanders, are entitled, and are hereby cordially and courteously invited, to attend any and all inspections.
4. Division Commanders shall have general supervision over all Commanderies in their charge, and shall report conditions at frequent intervals to the Grand Commander.
5. Commanders and other elective Officers of every Commandery are hereby reminded that it is an important and essential part of their official duty to thoroughly acquaint themselves with the Constitution, Statutes, and Rituals of the Grand Encampment, the Constitution, Laws, and Regulations of this Grand Jurisdiction, and the By-Laws of their own Commandery. Inspecting Officers will report any and every violation of Templar Law observed by them.
6. Commanders are requested to refer all requests of a minor nature requiring decisions to their Division Commander; he in turn, if necessary, will take the same up with the Grand Commander. A Division Commander should be able to judge of the necessities and requirements, particularly where they do not conflict with the Constitution and General Regulations; but the Division Commander shall make no original or first decision on any point.
7. In perfecting the Ritualistic and Tactical work of the Commandery, General Officers will follow the instructions of the Inspector Instructor or his Deputy.
8. Candidates shall possess full regalia, including coat, *before being* Knighted. No more than ten candidates shall have the Order of the Temple conferred on them at any one Conclave. Every candidate is entitled to the full form work. In special circumstances the Grand Commander may grant an emergency dispensation.
9. It is the desire of the Grand Commander and the Inspector Instructor that all Commanderies be opened in full form. The Inspecting Officer will, in a report to the Grand Commander at the end of the year, make note of the number of times each Commandery has complied with this request.
10. Commanderies must send to the Grand Commander, Deputy Grand Commander, Grand Generalissimo, Grand Captain General, Inspector Instructor, Deputy Inspector Instructor and Grand Recorder notices of all their Conclaves, also to each Division Commander the notices of Commanderies in their Division.
11. Commanders are directed to cause to be sent to this office immediate information of the death of any Past Commander or Officer of their respective Commanderies, together with such a sketch of his Masonic History as can be obtained.
12. Every Tactical Formation for every parade occasion must be in strict accordance with the official Tactics and formations of *this* Grand Commandery and under the direct instruction of the Inspector Instructor or the Deputy Inspector Instructor unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander.

13. In accordance with the recommendation adopted at the Annual Conclave of this Grand Commandery, it is provided that each Commandery may have ten copies of the Combined Ritual and Tactics, which has just been issued by the Committee. They may be procured from R.: E.: Sir Frederick I. Dana, Inspector Instructor, Masonic Temple, Providence, R. I. The price is two dollars per copy, or twenty dollars for ten, plus two dollars for postage, making a total of twenty-two dollars. In ordering by the Commander, a check should be sent with the order made payable to the Grand Commandery Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island. These copies will be sent to the Commander by registered mail, and return receipt is required. All copies are numbered and returns will be made yearly by all Inspecting Officers of their preservation and condition. In case of loss or destruction, immediate report must be made to the Inspector Instructor and Grand Commander. A fine of twenty-five dollars each will be assessed against any Commandery for the loss or destruction of any of these copies.

14. Every Commander shall require the Recorder to keep duplicate copies of the records of the Commandery. He shall see that all correspondence is answered promptly. Requests for dispensations must be made and signed by the Commander, attested by the Recorder, and shall bear the seal of the Commandery. Returns of all dispensations must be made immediately on the form attached bearing the seal of the Recorder. Each Division Commander will see that this order is complied with.

15. All notices of Conclaves and meetings must be sent in sealed envelopes. A return post card may be used, but shall have no announcement whatever.

16. In receiving invitations to Commandery affairs, the Grand Commander will not accept unless the Grand Warder is invited. The Grand Warder is the personal aide to the Grand Commander and must be recognized as such. This should also apply to the Division Commanders and their Deputy Grand Warders.

17. Commanders shall see that a suitable visitor's book is placed in the anteroom. All visitors to a Commandery must be required to register in proper form. When a visitor is not a Sir Knight of this Jurisdiction a letter from the Recorder must be sent to the Recorder of the Commandery of which he is a Sir Knight informing the Commandery that this Frater was present at the Conclave which he visited.

18. It is requested that each Commandery procure a light-weight parade banner to be used on all occasions outside of the Asylum.

19. A Special Conclave of this Grand Commandery will be held in Springfield, June 24, 1926, for the purpose of celebrating the One Hundredth Anniversary of Springfield Commandery, No. 6. All subordinate Commanderies are hereby invited to attend in full formation. Details will be furnished later. This date should be reserved and a committee appointed at once to arrange for this Conclave.

20. The reports show a very small attendance at regular Conclaves of the Commanderies. All Commanders shall make every effort to increase the attendance during the year. The Ritual and Tactics must be observed, but our social features should ever be in the mind of every Commander.

Our Order is founded on Christian Knighthood. Christianity is brotherhood, good will and kindness toward all. Let us observe this feature at every meeting.

21. This General Order shall be read in full at the Conclave next following its receipt.

Witness my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this fourth day of November, A.D. 1925, A.O. 807.

CLARENCE M. DUNBAR,
Grand Commander.



ATTEST:

Wm Powell
Grand Recorder.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T
 Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.,
 Wednesday November 18, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4:45 P. M.
 o'clock with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

Not having a report of the Committees on the applications of Harry
 Lawrence Dalzell, the Companions application was referred to the next
 Conclave.

Release of jurisdiction

Release of jurisdiction was granted from Palestine Commandery of Chelsea,
 Mas., over Companion George Samuel Grow, 35 Barrett street, Revere, Mass.

The following applications were read.

Comp. Herbert Wellington Goodwin
 Residence 619 Walk Hill st Mattapan
 Occupation Captain of Police
 Place of business Police Station # 4 La Grange st Boston
 Member of Lafayette Lodge, Roxbury, and Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester.
 Recommended by Sir Knights Forest F Hall and Joseph W Work.

Comp. Joseph H H Kelley
 Residence 195 Ashmont st Dorchester
 Occupation Physician
 Place of business 195 Ashmont st Dorchester
 Member of Revere Lodge Boston & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
 Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. Otto Henry Maier
 Residence 807 Center st Jamaica Plain
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 159 A Mass. Ave Boston
 Member of Germania Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Albert A Fischer & William O Fischer

Comp. William Waldo Nelson
 Residence 149 Winthrop Rd Brookline
 Occupation Advertising
 Place of business 155 Columbus Ave Boston Vega Co Boston
 Member of Zetland Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Besten

Recommended by Sir Knights Carl L W Nelson & William P Bullard

Comp. Walter Edward McQuinn
Residence 19 Stone Ave Somerville Mass
Occupation Pharmacist
Place of business 22 Union Sq Somerville
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & George A Berry

Comp. James Kinniburgh
Residence 60 Highfield Rd Quincy
Occupation Dye stuffs etc
Place of business 359 Atlantic Ave Boston
Member of Atlantic Lodge Atlantic, and St Stephens R A Chapter Quincy
Recommended by Sir Knights Louis L Briden & Winfield L Nourse

Visitors

The following Em Sirs were introduced to the Commander and thru him to the Commandery and were received with the usual hearty welcome of Boston Commandery.

Em Sir Henry H Williams of Honolulu Commandery # 1 of Honolulu H I
Em Sir William A Whitney of Bethany Commandery of Lawrence, Mass.

General Orders

The Commander read General Order #1 from the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.

Work

Order of the Temple

The following Companions were received and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them.

Comp. George Chipman Ames
Comp. Charles Russell Baker
Comp. Emden Burtal Cornwall
Comp. Carl Jule Downing
Comp. Burton Gordon Gillespie
Comp. Clayton Locke Havey
Comp. Lars Arvid Svensson
Comp. Henry Carter Whitcomb

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed not only the banquet but also an entertainment under the direction of Sir Knights William P Bullard Captain General.

Past Commanders

The Past Commanders present were

Em Sir Frederick T Comee
 Rt Em Sir James S Blake
 Em Sir Charles W Howard
 Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business at 8 o'clock P. M. and finished conferring the Order of the Temple on the above named Companions.

Closing

Having finished the business of the Commandery the Commander requested the Sir Knights to sign the By-Laws and thereby become members of Boston Commandery.

Present

Visitors	13	
Candidates	8	
Band	25	
Officers and Sir Knights	200	
Total		246

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
 Recorder

Special Conclave

Boston Commandery Armory
 Masonic Temple
 Boston, Mass.

Sunday November 29, 1925

The Commandery was opened without Form to attend the funeral services of the late Sir Knight William B Whitcomb who died November 27, 1925.

Those present were

Em Commander Frank O Clark

Generalissimo Charles L Hamilton

Asst Prelate Rev Francis B White

Sir Knights Josiah T Dyer, Charles B. Wood, John A Fall
and Augustus Ridgeway.

The services were held at the rooms of Sir Knight Frederick L Briggs, Huntington Ave., Boton, Mass.

Sir Knight William B Whitcomb

Born in Boston, Mass., June 8, 1833

Raised in Mt Tabor Lodge of East Boston, March 27, 1856

Demitted from Mt Tabor Lodge March 17, 1864

Joined Joseph Warren Lodge February 23, 1864

Exalted in St Pauls R A Chapter

Knighted in Boston Commandery November 18, 1857

Died November 27, 1925.

After the ceremonies, the Commandery returned to the Asylum and was closed without Form.

Attest:

Joseph W. Worn

Recorder

Boston Commandery K T
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.,
Wednesday, December 16, 1925

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committee upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Harry Lawrence Dalzell
Comp. Herbert Wellington Goodwin
Comp. George Samuel Grow
Comp. Joseph Duryea Hildreth
Comp. Joseph H H Kelley
Comp. John MacNeily
Comp. Walter Edward McQuinn
Comp. Otto Henry Majer
Comp. William Waldo Nelson

Applications

The application of Comp. James Kinniburgh was referred to the next Conclave as a release of jurisdiction had not been received.

Visitors

Em Sir Charles F White, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island, Division Commander.

Release of jurisdiction

The request of the Hugh dePaynes Commandery K T of Melrose, Mass., for release of jurisdiction over Companion Ralph Lee Wilkinson, 1508 Parkway, West Medford, was granted.

Voted: that the Commandery attend the Special Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island to be held at Springfield Mass, June 24, 1926, for the purpose of celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Springfield Commandery # 6, all arrangements to be left with the Council.

New Years' Eve Party

It was unanimously voted that the Commandery hold a New Years' Eve Party December 31st, 1925, at the Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Petitions

The following petitions were received.

Comp. Ralph Kenneth Allen
Residence 180 Longwood Ave Boston
Occupation Wool business
Place of business 421 Summer st Boston
Member of Mizpah Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter of Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson & Robert G Wilson Jr

Comp. William M Meissner
Residence 76 Spring Park Ave Boston
Occupation Clerical
Place of business William Filene Sons Co Summer st Boston
Member of Germania Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry Haeberle & Joseph W Work

Comp. Albert Farr Morey
Residence 26 Brook Park Medford
Occupation Agent Am RR Express Co
Place of business North Station Boston
Member of Sagamore Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights D B Holman & Joseph W Work

Comp. Lawrence Evitts Tewksbury
Residence 55 Gilbert Rd Belmont
Occupation Wool dealer
Place of business 232 Summer st Boston
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont Mass
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Albert B Hall

For Membership

Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell
Residence 33 Pinkney st Boston
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 40 Broad st Boston
Member of Blue Hill Lodge Canton & Mt Zion R A Chapter Barre Mass
Cyprus Commandery of Hyde Park Mass
Recommended by Sir Knight William P Bullard & Joseph W Work

Work

The Order of the Temple was closed and the Ill Order of the Red Cross was opened and the following Companions were introduced and the ceremonies were conducted by the Generalissimo, Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton.

Comp. Harry Lawrence Dalzell

Comp. Herbert Wellington Goodwin
 Comp. George Samuel Grow
 Comp. Joseph Duryea Hildreth
 Comp. Joseph H H Kelley
 Comp. John MacNeily
 Comp. Otto Henry Maier
 Comp. Walter Edward McQuinn
 Comp. William Waldo Nelson
 Comp. Eric Ernst Schurian

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests repaired to the Banquet Hall where after the dinner, Capt. General Sir Knight Bullard presented one of his enjoyable entertainments.

Work

The Commandery was called to order and the Officers proceeded to finish the ceremonies of the Ill Order of the Red Cross.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having finished their business a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named candidates were introduced and the ceremonies were conducted by the Capt. General Sir Knight William P Bullard.

Order of the Temple

The ceremonies of the Priory of the Order of Malta having been finished the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wark

Recorder

Present December 16, 1925
 Members 197
 Visitors 8
 Candidates 10

Total 215

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 20, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Ralph Kenneth Allen

Comp. Albert Farr Morey

Comp. Lawrence Evitts Tewksbury

Applications

On the application of Comp. William M Meissner the Committee not having reported the application was referred to our next Conclave.

For Membership

The application of Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell, the majority of the Committee asked for further time.

Letters

A letter was received from Sir Knight George H Lovejoy thanking the Commandery for the beautiful flowers sent him togetherwith the sympathy expressed.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths

Sir Knight Greshon Cutter

Knighted Sept. 16, 1874

Died February 3, 1921

Sir Knight Bainbridge W Woodward

Knighted January 18, 1882

Died December 13, 1925

Sir Knight William B Whitcomb

Knighted November 18, 1857

Died November 27, 1925

Sir Knight Henry C Cottle

Knighted February 20, 1895

Died January 1, 1926

MemorialGeorge Thomas Wiley 32rd

Born in Charlestown, Massachusetts, August 16, 1864
 Died at his home 471 Columbia Road, Dorchester, Mass.,
 Monday, November 10, 1925, after an illness of about
 fifteen hours.

He received his education in the Public Schools of Charlestown, Mass., and upon finishing his studies, and graduating from the High School there, he entered the boot and shoe industry in which business he continued, and during the last twenty years or more had been connected with the C. W. Bennett Co., Inc. of Fitchburg, Massachusetts, in which corporation he held an interest.

He had two brothers, one of whom died in infancy and the other at the age of ninetwn years.

He was married in 1887 to Miss Gertrude L. Helm whom he had known since childhood. They had one son, Benjamin Chester Wiley who with Mrs. Wiley survives him. They continued to reside in Charlestown for some time after their marriage, later moving to Dorchester where they lived at the time of his passing.

Brother Wiley had taken an active interest in all branches of Masonic work.

He was raised a Master Mason in Rabboni Lodge, Dorchester, October 15, 1902, and elected Worshipful Master December 19, 1912.

He was exalted in Dorchester R A Chapter February 24, 1903.
 Elected Excellent High Priest September 23, 1913.
 Anointed and set apart to the Order of High Priesthood in
 Massachusetts Convention of High Priests March 9, 1920.

Received the Cryptic Degrees in Boston Council R & S Masters November 22, 1906, and was elected Thrice Ill Master September 24, 1914, and was Master of ceremonies at the time of his death.

Knighted in Boston Commandery K T February 16, 1910.
 Elected Em Commander September 19, 1923, serving in that capacity two years.

He received the several grades in the Ancinet Accepted Scottish Rite in the Valley of Boston as follows:-

Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection October 2, 1908
 Giles F Yates Council Princes of Jerusalem October 9, 1908
 Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix October 16, 1908
 Massachusetts Consistory January 8, 1909

He was elected Most Wise Master of Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix April 17, 1925, holding that office at the time of his death.

He was Senior Grand Deacon in the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts in 1918,

District Deputy Grand Master for the Fourth Masonic District for 1919-20

District Deputy Grand High Priest for the First Capitular District of Massachusetts, December 9, 1924, which position he held at the time of his death.

His funeral services were held at the Pilgrim Congregational Church at Upham's Corner, Dorchester, November 13, 1925, Rev. Frederick W. Hamilton, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge officiating. After which Em Sir Frank O Clark, his immediate successor as Commander of Boston Commandery K. T. conducted the Templar service.

The large auditorium of the Church was filled with friends in every walk of life who attested by their presence and innumerable exquisite floral tributes the esteem in which he was held.

Frederick T Comee
Joseph T Paul
Frederick H Briggs

Triennial Conclave

Voted:- that Boston Commandery K T attend the next Triennial Conclave to be held at Detroit, Michigan, in 1928, and that the Council have full powers to make all arrangements.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the officers Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall and there partook of the good things to eat also an entertainment furnished by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

The following Knights having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and the Order of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them.

Knight Harry Lawrence Dalzell
Knight Herbert Wellington Goodwin
Knight George Samuel Grew
Knight Joseph Duryear Hildreth
Knight Joseph Henry Hart Kelley
Knight John MacNeilly
Knight Walter Edward McQuinn

Knight Otto Henry Maier
 Knight William Waldo Nelson
 Knight Eric Ernst Schurian

Formation of the Triangle

One of the pleasantest features of the Conclave was the ceremony connected in conferring the Order of the Temple on Knight Herbert W. Goodwin, Captain of Police Station #4 on the Fifth Libation. The Triangle was composed of his fellow officers of the Boston Police Department, namely,

Deputy Forrest F. Hall
 Capt. Arthur B McConnell
 Capt. John M. Anderson
 Capt. Perley S Skillings
 Lieut. William W Livingston
 Lieut. Oscar H Peare
 Lieut. Harry P Burns
 Patrolman Robert S. MacLeod
 Patrolman Andrew W Duncan
 Patrolman Calvin S Weir

Under the direction of Deputy Forrest F. Hall the above named officers and patrolman performed their duties in a very commendable manner, and were heartily applauded by the officers and Sir Knights of the Commandery.

Reception of the Rt Eminent Sir
 Clarence M. Dunbar, Grand Commander of the
 Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the
 Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode
 Island

Eminent Sir George H Sykes, Grand Warder of the Grand Commandery announced the presence of the Rt Em. Grand Commander and Suite, and a delegation of the Past Commanders under the direction of the Generalissimo, Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton repaired to the ante room and introduced the Rt Eminent Sir and his suite to the Commander who received the Grand Commander with some very appropriate remarks, and the Rt Em Sir reciprocated in his usual pleasant manner, and at the same time introduced his suite.

Police Department of Providence, R. I.

Capt. Harry F. Drown
 Lieut. George W Cowan
 Lieut. Irish
 Sergt. Albert S Mott
 Sergt. James L Fisher
 Traffic patrolman John M Johnson
 Patrolman Charles E Johnson
 Patrolman Walter E Entwistle

Fire Department of Providence, R. I.

Sir Knight Everett J Horton, chairman of the Board of Fire Commissioners.
Frank Charlesworth, Chief of Fire Department
Battalion Chief Dyer
Capt. Wendelschaefer
Capt. Maynard
Capt. McKay
Capt. MacVicar
Capt. Roberts
Lieut Lawton
Lieut Watson
Lieut MacKinnon
Jack Clark
Elmer Bowen
Hugh P Wood
Thomas Holloway
also Em. Sir George H Sykes, Grand Warder.

After receiving the suite of the Rt Eminent Sir the Commander invited the Rt Em Sir to the chair in the East and requested the suite to be seated. The formation of the Guards representing the Triangle was then ordered to be presented to the East. The Commander then introduced the Rt Em Commander to Deputy Forrest F Hall and he in turn in a very affable manner introduced each one of his command to the Rt Em Commander.

Order of the Temple

The Ceremonies of the Order of the Temple were then continued and the above named Knights of Malta were proclaimed Knights of the Magnanimous Order of the Temple and upon signing the By-Laws were made members of Boston Commandery.

Visitation

All present were unanimous in their expression of approbation for the delightful evening occasioned by the Grand Commander and his suite togetherwith the excellent ceremonies conducted by Sir Knight Deputy Hall and his associates.

Members and Visitors present

The Sentinel recorded the following members and visitors present.

Members 94
Visitors 32
Candidates 10

Total 136

Dinner account

Report of Committee.

Cateeres's count	328	
Received from members		\$147.00

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Lewis Sherman Breed
Residence 19 Primrose st Roslindale
Occupation Dentist
Place of business 758 South st Roslindale
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. George Wilson Bunker
Residence 2 A Fairview st Roslindale
Occupation Bank Treasurer
Place of business 677 Centre st Jamaica Plain
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Charles Lincoln Carpenter
Residence 561 Mass Ave Boston
Occupation Linotype Operator
Place of business Boston Herald & Travler
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Frank E Shepard

Comp. Edward Edwards
Residence 40 Vinal Ave Somerville
Occupation Pharmacist
Place of business 22 Union Sq Somerville
Member of Jonesport Lodge #188, Maine, & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Walter E McQuinn

Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman
Residence 430 Marlboro st Boston
Occupation Real estate Broker
Place of business 31 Milk st Boston
Member of West Roxbury Lodge Roslindale & Roslindale R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman Jr
Residence 48 Church st W Roxbury
Occupation Real Estate Broker
Place of business 31 Milk st Boston
Member of West Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Truman Davis Hayes
Residence 15 Park Ave Cambridge
Occupation Insurance Broker
Place of business 100 Milk st Boston
Member of Mizpah Lodge Cambridge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles R Achuff & Hiram C Hughes.

Comp. William Earl Palmer
Residence 59 Beach st Roslindale
Occupation Proprietor
Place of business 69-70 Long Wharf Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge Roslindale & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Roxbury
Recommended by Sir Knight John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Comp. Henry Otto Schreiber
Residence 97 Tyndale st Roslindale
Occupation Investigator
Place of business 40 Broad st Boston
Member of Eliot Lodge Jamaica Plain & Roslindale R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank D Hanson & Donald V Baker

Comp. George Albert Spargo
Residence 11 Avalon Rd Milton
Occupation Sales Mgr
Place of business 44 Sudbury st Boston
Member of Macedonian Lodge Milton & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights William R Cleary & Frederick A Hutchins

Comp. Richard Wilson
Residence 103 Brown Ave Roslindale
Occupation Asst Purchasing Agent
Place of business 210 South st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge Roslindale & Roslindale R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Florian J Anshelm & William P Bullard

For Membership

Sir Knight Jean Henry Stewell
Residence 14 Warner st Somerville
Occupation Examiner of Merchandise. U. S. Custom
Place of business 408 Atlantic Ave Boston
Member of Amicable Lodge, Cambridge, Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
and Couer de Lion Commandery of Charlestown
Recommended by Sir Knights Arthur N Hale & William L Aldrich

Sir Knight Lawrence Edward Whitehead
Residence 20 Worcester Sq Boston
Occupation Retired
Place of business 20 Worcester Sq Boston
Member of Mt Vernon Lodge #4 Providence R I and Providence R A Chapter
1 Providence R I and St Johns Commandery # 1 Providence R I
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank E Shepard & Dennie P Small

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without
Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Woon

Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday February 17, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P M with a full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Louis Sherman Breed
 Comp. George Wilson Bunker
 . Comp. Charles Lincoln Carpenter
 Comp. Edward Edwards
 Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman
 Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman Jr
 Comp. Truman Davis Hayes
 Comp. William M Meissner "Max"
 Comp. William Earl Palmer
 Comp. Henry Otto Schreiber
 Comp. George Albert Spargo
 Comp. Richard Wilson

Release of Jurisdiction

The application of Companion James Kinniburgh was not in form as the release of jurisdiction was refused by Quincy Commandery.

For Membership

Sir Knight Jean Henry Stowell
 Sir Knight Lawrence Edward Whitehead

Further Time

On the application of Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell one of the Committee not having reported the Commander referred action until the next Conclave.

Dispensation

A dispensation was received from Rt Em Sir Clarence M Dunbar,

Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island authorizing Boston Commandery # 2 to hold a ceremony of the Commanderys official inspection and review at the Repretory Theater, Boston, Mass. following the Annual Inspection of Boston Commandery in its Asylum at a Special Conclave on the afternoon of Thursday, March 18, 1926.

Circular Letter # 2 from the office of the Rt Em Grand Commander was received giving the detail of the Committees etc of the One Hundredth Anniversary of Springfield Commandery # 6 to be held Wednesday, June 23, and Thursday June 24, 1926 at Springfield, Mass.

Dinner

The Commander that the usual dinner was in waiting and the officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall where they enjoyed, after the meal, an entertainment furnished under the direction of Sir Knight William P. Bullard, Captain General.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and opened in a Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and the Ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo, and the following Companions were introduced.

Comp. Ralph Kenneth Allen
Comp. George Wilson Bunker
Comp. Charles Lincoln Carpenter
Comp. Edward Edwards
Comp. Truman Davis Hayes
Comp. William M Meissner
Comp. Albert Farr Morey
Comp. Henry Otto Schreiber
Comp. George Albert Spargo
Comp. Lawrence Evitts Tewksbury
Comp. Richard Wilson

Priory of Knights of Malta

The business of the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been finished, a Priory of Knights of Malta was opened and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General, and the Order was conferred upon the above named candidates

CLOSING

The ceremonies of the Knights of Malta having been finished the Priory was closed at 9:55 o'clock P. M.

Commandery Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Charles J Bliss
Residence 58 Rogers Ave West Somerville
Occupation Real estate Broker & Agent
Place of business 10 State st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights John F Cook & Samuel Dillaway

Comp. Wallace E Crowley
Residence 1175 Boylston st Boston
Occupation Lawyer
Place of business 401 Pemberton Bldg Boston
Member of Minerva Lodge # 86 Corinth, Vt., and St Andrews R A Chapter
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Harold W Martin

Comp. James William Fielding
Residence 45 Bay State Ave W Somerville
Occupation Insurance Broker
Place of business 141 Milk st Boston
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank P Spaulding & Rupert F Giles

Comp. Oliver Howard Kent
Residence 3 Regent Circle Jamaica Plain
Occupation Treas. Boston Penny Savings Bank Boston
Place of business 1375 Washington st Boston
Member of Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades

Comp. Ernest Tracy Mander
Residence 32 Langdon Ave Watertown
Occupation Vice Pres The Murray Co
Place of business 200 State st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Milton E Murray & Joseph W Work

Comp. Shepard Atherton Raymond
Residence 18 Virginia st Milton
Occupation Production Mgr
Place of business 210 Lincoln st Boston
Member of Pilgrim Lodge Harwich & Sylvester Baxter R A Chapter W Harwich
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Harold W Martin

Comp. Clarence Wallbank

Residence 5218 Washington st Boston
Occupation Sales Mgr
Place of business 5174 Washington st Boston
Member of Constellation Lodge Dedham & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Em Sir Frank O Clark & Sir Knight Joseph W Work

Comp. Albert W Mace
Residence 125 Whiting Ave Dedham
Occupation Electrical Eng
Place of business 93 Heath st Roxbury
Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Harold W Martin & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Ralph Leslie Whitcomb
Residence 17 Glendale Rd Sharon
Occupation Builder
Place of business 19 Wareham st Boston
Member of Blue Hill Lodge Canton & Mt Zion R A Chapter Stoughton
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry B Wiegner & Harold W Martin

For Membership

Sir Knight William Bryant Bailey
Residence 195 Pearl st Somerville
Occupation Laundry Owner
Place of business 11 Stone Place Somerville
Member of John Abbott Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville, &
Jerusalem Commandery #19 Fitchburg
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank L Morse & Walter E McQuinn

Sir Knight Luther Ernest Gruber
Residence 6 Wachusett Ave Arlington Hts
Occupation Sales Manager
Place of business 80 Federal st Boston
Member of Com'lth Lodge #409 Brooklyn N Y & St Andrews R A Chapter
& Heights Commandery #76 Cleveland Heights, Ohio
Recommended by Sir Knights Joseph W Work & Josiah T Dyer

Sir Knight Albert Walsh Lang
Residence 114 Fenway Boston
Occupation Retired
Place of business Retired
Member of Phoenician Lodge & Mt Sinai R A Chapter Lawrence, & Bethany
Commandery # 17 Lawrence

Supper Tickets

Postal cards received 113	Postal cards not returned 17
Complimentary 135	Total 265

Members Present

Members 195	
Visitors 10	
Candidates 11	Total 216

Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, March 17, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of Officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles J Bliss

Comp. William E Crowley *Wallace*

Comp. James William Fielding

Comp. Oliver Howard Kent

Comp. Sheppard Atherton Raymond

Comp. Clarence Wallbank

Comp. Ralph Leslie Whitcomb

For Membership

Sir Knight William Bryant Bailey

Sir Knight Luther Ernest Gruber

Sir Knight Albert Walsh Lang

Petitions

The petition of Comp. Ernest Tracey Mander was favorable reported but a release of jurisdiction had not been received.

Membership

The petition of Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell who applied for membership upon ballot he was rejected.

Letter

A letter was received from Mrs. Frank A Smith of Portland, Maine acknowledging the thanks of Sir Knight Smith and herself for the

donation of flowers.

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was conferred in full Form upon the following Knights of the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta as they had previously received the same.

Knight Ralph Kenneth Allen
Knight George Wilson Bunker
Knight Charles Lincoln Carpenter
Knight Edward Edwards
Knight Truman Davis Hayes
Knight William M Meissner
Knight Albert Farr Morey
Knight Henry Otto Schreiber
Knight George Albert Spargo
Knight George Evitts Tewksbury

Visitors

We were honored at this Conclave by the following visitors.

Em Sir H. E. Upton Commander of Portland Commandery, Portland, Maine
Sir Knight Robert H Large of St Bernard Commandery, Littleton, N. H.

Closing

Having finished the conferring of the Order of the Temple on the above named Knights of Malta, the Commander received the candidates and invited them to sign the By-Laws at the Recorder's desk and become members of Boston Commandery.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed at 10:17 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Osborne Francis Briggs
Residence 5 Glendale Terr Brighton
Occupation Undertaker
Place of business 262 Huntington Ave Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frederick L Briggs & Joseph W Work

Comp. Gordon D Gilbert
Residence 126 Beech st Roslindale
Occupation salesman
Place of business Park Sq Bldg Boston
Member of West Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Em Sir Frank O Clark & Sir Knight Joseph W Work

Comp. Frederick Joseph Swendeman
Residence 45 Fletcher st Roslindale
Occupation Lieut. of Police
Place of business Police Sta # 8 521 Commerical st Boston
Member of Union Lodge of Dorchester & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights William H Rymes & Joseph W Work

For Membership

Sir Knight William Van Ummersen
Residence 21 A Cambria st Somerville
Occupation Wood carver
Place of business 520 Harrison Ave Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
William Parkman Commandery K T # 28 East Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles M Berry & Percy A Brigham

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Thursday, March 18, 1926

Special Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 2 o'clock P M with a full line of Officers.

Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was communicated to

Knight Richard Wilson he having previously received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta.

Annual Official Inspection

The Commandery having finished its business in conferring the Order of the Temple it was closed.

The Commander announced that the official count and reception of the Inspection Officer, Em Sir Charles F White, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island assisted by Em Sir Edward Rose, Past Commander of Beauseant Commandery as Deputy Grand Warden will be held at 7:15 o'clock P M at the Repertory Theater 264 Huntington Ave, Boston, Mass.

Reception of the Inspecting Officer and Suite

Em Sir Edward Rose, Deputy Grand Warden, announced that the Em Sir Charles F White Inspecting Officer, was in waiting in the ante room, and he wished to know if the Commander was ready to receive him. Em Commander, Frank O Clark, responded to the question by informing the Deputy Grand Warden that he would wait upon the Inspecting Officer with a Committee. The Commander then ordered an escort for the Generalissimo who was a committee together with all of the Past Commanders present to wait upon the Rt Em Sir Charles F White and introduce him. The Generalissimo introduced the Inspecting Officer to the Commander who gave him the usual Boston Commandery hearty welcome and assuring him that it was a great pleasure to receive him at this time. Em Sir White responded in a very affable manner and in turn introduced his suite comprised of 84 Past Grand Commanders, Past Commanders, Generalissimos and Capt. Generals of various Commanderies.

Official Count

Em Sir Charles F White requested Em Sir Edward Rose Deputy Grand Warden to make the official count, and requested all Sir Knights members of Boston Commandery in uniform to rise. The following report was

made.

Members of Boston Commandery in Uniform 367 and the Inspecting officer so ordered the Recorder to make the customary record. At this time the Inspector Instructor Rt Em Sir Frederick I Dana complimented the Commandery upon its excellent work of the afternoon and also of its large attendance in the evening, and announced that the mark would be 9 minus.

The business of the Inspection having been completed the Commander invited the officers and visiting Sir Knights to ~~a~~ seats in the theater. After which the company presented a very enjoyable entertainment.

Dance

After listening to the artists and they having finished, the Commander announced that the ball room would be ready and the Sir Knights and their ladies enjoyed dancing until a late hour.

Rt Em Grand Commander

We were honored during the evening by hearing some very complimentary remarks from the Rt Em Grand Commander, Clarence M. Dunbar; also from the Inspecting officer Em Sir Charles F White.

The exercises closed at this time in order to give the Sir Knights the privilege of enjoying the invitation of the Commander.

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
Recorder

A Pleasant Surprise

The Surprise of the evening was an invitation from Sir Knight William P Bullard, Capt. General, inviting all those that were present at 12:30 o'clock A M to a luncheon on the stage. Those who participated reported a very successful arrangement.

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, April 21, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knight Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved with the following addition.

The surprise of the evening was an invitation from Sir Knight William P Bullard, Capt. General, inviting all those that were present at 12:30 o'clock A M. to a luncheon on the stage. Those who participated reported a very successful arrangement.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Osborne Francis Briggs

Comp. Gordon D Gilbert

Comp. Frederick Joseph Swendeman

For Membership

Sir Knight William VanUmmersen

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Arthur Anwyl Evans

Residence 68 Coolidge st Brookline

Occupation Archt Sculptor

Place of business 77 Huntington Ave Boston

Member of Brookline Lodge, Brookline, & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Rowland D Crook & Charles L Hamilton

Comp. Harry Atwood Fletcher

Residence 12 Harriet Ave Belmont

Occupation Accountant & Asst Treasurer

Place of business 77 Huntington Ave Boston

Member of Charles A Welch Lodge, Maynard, & Mt Vernon R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Rowland D Crook & Charles L Hamilton

Comp. Fred Johnson
 Residence 9 Hamilton Rd Somerville
 Occupation Supt N E T & T Co
 Place of business 51 Inman st Cambridge
 Member of Somerville Lodge, Somerville R A Chapter, Somerville
 Recommended by Sir Knights Louis Frederick Miller & Axel Magnusson

Comp. Ernest Tracy Mander
 Residence 33 Langdon Ave Watertown
 Occupation Vice President The Murray Co
 Place of business 209 State st Boston
 Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
 Recommended by Sir Knight Milton E Murray & Joseph W Work

Comp. George Sunderland Pingree
 Residence 220 Walnut st Brookline
 Occupation Investment Banking
 Place of business 720 Boylston st Boston
 Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Em Sir Frank O Clark & Sir Knight Joseph W Work

Church Party

It was unanimously voted to attend Ascension Day services at Trinity Church, Sunday, May 16, 1926, at 3:30 P M.

Springfield Hundreth Anniversary

Voted: To attend the Hundreth Anniversary of Springfield Commandery # 6 on June 24, 1926. Particulars to be noted in the Crusader for May.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple, and opened it on the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers and Sir Knights and guests marched to the banquet hall where they partook of the good things to eat and also an interesting entertainment provided by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Capt. General.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The business of the Commandery was opened and resumed on the Ill Order of the Red Cross at 8:30 P M, and the following Companions were received and the degree was conferred upon them.

Comp. Louis Sherman Breed

Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman
Comp. Warren Franklin Freeman Jr
Comp. Charles J Bliss
Comp. Wallace E Crowley
Comp. James William Fielding
Comp. Oliver Howard Kent
Comp. Clarence Wallbank
Comp. Ralph Leslie Whitcomb
Comp. Osborne Francis Briggs
Comp. Gordon D Gilbert
Comp. Frederick Joseph Swendeman

also by request of the Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Iowa thru the Grand Commander of Massachusetts & Rhode Island Comp. Albert E Lodwick for St Johns Commandery of Mt Pleasant, Iowa.

Voted

The Commander announced the illness of Em Sir Frederick H Briggs, Joseph S Lockhardt and John H Newman. Therefore the Commandery voted to send flowers to Em Sir Briggs and Sir Knight Lockhardt and instructed the Recorder to express the sympathy of the Commandery to Sir Knight Newman.

Presentation

The Commander requested the presence of Sir Knight Arthur N Hale, Captain of the Guards and in a very affable manner presented Sir Knight Hale with a beautiful belt and sword from the Commandery in recognition of his services as Capt. of the Guard since September 15, 1915.

Sir Knight Hale was very much surprised and could hardly find words to express his appreciation to the Commandery for their kind thoughtfulness.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross was closed and a Priory of the Order of Malta opened and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Capt. General, and the Order was conferred upon the above Companions.

Closing

The business of the Priory having been finished, it was closed at 10 o'clock P M.

Order of the Temple

After the closing of the Priory the Commandery was closed at 10:15 O'clock P. M.

A true Record

Joseph H. Wilson

Recorder

Attest:

The ONE HUNDRED and TWENTIETH
SEMI-ANNUAL CONCLAVE



CLARENCE M. DUNBAR
Grand Commander

WILL BE HELD IN THE
CITY OF PROVIDENCE, RHODE ISLAND
THURSDAY, MAY 13

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD

1926

AND OF THE ORDER 808

The GRAND COMMANDERY of KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island



SIR KNIGHT:

You are hereby notified that the One Hundred and Twentieth Semi-Annual Conclave of the *Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island* will be held in *Freemasons' Hall*, in the City of PROVIDENCE, Rhode Island,

Thursday, May 13th

A.D. 1926, A.O. 808

at TEN FORTY-FIVE O'CLOCK in the forenoon, for the transaction of such business as shall regularly come before it.

Your prompt attendance is courteously requested.

By order of

CLARENCE M. DUNBAR

Grand Commander



Wm. Powell

Grand Recorder

Room 206 Masonic Temple,
Boston, Mass.

Committees to Report

Committee on Jurisprudence and Laws

R.: E.: Sir DANA J. FLANDERS
R.: E.: Sir J. ALBERT BLAKE
R.: E.: Sir EDWIN A. BLODGETT

Committee on Credentials

E.: Sir DANIEL C. HUNT
E.: Sir WILLIAM E. M. LITTLE
E.: Sir AMBROSE B. WHITE

Committee on Charters, Dispensations and Jurisdictional Lines

R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM W. JOHNSON
R.: E.: Sir HENRY C. DEXTER
E.: Sir EDSON K. HUMPHREY
E.: Sir FRANK B. KENNEY

Committee to Procure New Banner for Grand Commandery

E.: Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL
R.: E.: Sir FRANK L. NAGLE
E.: Sir CLARENCE E. BURLEIGH

Committee on Recommendation for Observance of Birth of R.: E.: Sir Thomas Smith Webb

E.: Sir WILLIAM L. SWEET
R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT

Committee on By-Laws

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
E.: Sir ALMON B. CILLEY
E.: Sir RAYMOND E. BOLLES

Committee to Consider Budget System for Expenditures of this Grand Commandery

R.: E.: Sir FRANK L. NAGLE
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
E.: Sir GEORGE T. EVERETT

Committee to Consider Changes in the Disbursement of the Educational Fund

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA
R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
R.: E.: Sir HARRY G. POLLARD
R.: E.: Sir ALVIN F. PEASE
R.: E.: Sir GEORGE A. B. BACON

Committee of the Day

E.: Sir JAMES A. ROGERS
E.: Sir ARTHUR S. VAUGHN
E.: Sir ROBERT I. DURFEE
E.: Sir GEORGE E. PHILLIPS
E.: Sir ADELBERT E. PLACE

The Committee of the Day announce refreshments at 12.30 o'clock P.M. by ticket to members only, which will be distributed to members before adjournment.

The Committee of the Day announce refreshments at the Pomham Club immediately after the conclusion of business.

The Commanders Union will meet in the City of Providence that evening. Members who attend will be assured of an interesting meeting. Those who do not will certainly miss something worth while. The new President has granted the request that members will be permitted to invite guests.

Calvary Commandery, No. 13, Eminent Sir Arthur I. Harvey, Commander, will exemplify the Opening in Full Form, also Inspection and Review at this Conclave.



Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Sunday, May 16, 1926

Ascension Day Services

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened without Form at 2 o'clock P. M. May 16th, 1926, with a full line of officers.

Services at Trinity Church

The lines were formed and 140 Sir Knights with full regalia marched to the Trinity Church, Copley Square, where the ladies had congregated, seats having been reserved for them.

A very interesting sermon was delivered by the Rev. Henry K Sherrill after which Sir Knights and their ladies proceeded to the Copley Plaza Hotel where refreshments were served, and an hour of sociability was enjoyed.

The condition of the weather at the time of departure from the hotel being very unpleasant the Commander ordered busses and conveyed the Sir Knights back to the Armory.

The Sir Knights were unanimous in their expression of gratification for the services of the day.

A true Record

Attest:

Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Wednesday, May 19, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports on ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Arthur Anwyl Evans
Comp. Harry Atwood Fletcher
Comp. Fred Johnson
Comp. Ernest Tracey Mander
Comp. George Sunderland Pingree

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths reported since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Herman L Buss
Knighted June 21, 1899
Died April 20, 1926

Sir Knight Alexander Bruce
Knighted August 16, 1904
Died April 22, 1926

Sir Knight Albert E Walker
Knighted April 17, 1907
Died April 22, 1926

Sir Knight Francis A Smith
Knighted April 16, 1902
Died April 3, 1926

Sir Knight Franklin C Jilson
Knighted December 19, 1900
Died May 7, 1926

Dispensation

A dispensation from Rt Em Sir Clarence M Dunbar, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Knight Templars and of the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts & Rhode Island authorizing Boston Commandery to confer the Order of the Temple on 13 candidates who have received the Order of the Red Cross and Malta togetherwith Comp. Albert Ervin Lodwick of 35 Langdon street, Cambridge, Mass.

Release of Jurisdiction

A release of jurisdiction from Gethsamane Commandery K T of Newtonville, Mass., over Comp. Ernest Tracey Mander of 32 Langdon Ave., Watertown, Mass., was granted.

Letters

A Communication was received from Joseph Warren Commandery K. T. of Roxbury, Mass., notifying Boston Commandery that they had conferred the Red Cross and Malta degrees upon Companion William Earl Palmer on Monday, May 3, 1926.

Letters from members of the families of the following Sir Knights were received thanking the Commandery for flowers received.

Sir Knight Alexander Bruce
 Sir Knight Albert E Walker
 Sir Knight Julius Strous
 Sir Knight Joseph S Lockhart

In accordance with the vote of April 21st, 1926, the following letter was forwarded to Sir Knight John R. Newman.

John R. Newman
 200 Washington st
 Boston, Mass.,
 Dear John:-

At a meeting of Boston Commandery held last month, it was reported that you were a little under the weather, and after the Commander announced the fact, it was unanimously voted to instruct the Recorder to forward to you the Knightly Greetings of the Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery with the assurance that although you were absent, your spirit was hovering around not only the East, but the West, North and South.

May this find you improving and may we have the pleasure in the future, and not far distant of shaking your hand and greeting you in our Asylum.

With my personal Greetings,

I am

Courteously yours,

Joseph W Work, Recorder

Order of the Temple

The following Knights having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced, and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them in Full Form.

Knight Louis Sherman Breed

Knight Warren Franklin Freeman

Knight Warren Franklin Freeman Jr

Knight Charles Josselyn Bliss

Knight Wallace Edgar Cowley

Knight James William Fielding

Knight Oliver Howard Kent

Knight Clarence Wallbank

Knight Ralph Leslie Whitcomb

Knight William Earl Palmer

Knight Osborne Francis Briggs

Knight Gordon Davidson Gilbert

Knight Frederick Joseph Swindeman

and also Knight Albert Irvin Lodwick 35 Langdon st, Cambridge, Mass., by request of the Rt Em Sir August E. Othmer, Grand Commander of the State of Iowa thru Rt Em Sir Clarence M Dunbar, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and proceeded to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed an hour of fraternal greetings and also an entertainment furnished by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Capt. General.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 8:15 P. M., and the balance of the ceremonies were conferred upon the above named Knights of Malta.

Special Ceremony

Knight Frederick Joseph Swendeman being a Lieut of the Police, Sta 8, Deputy Forest F Hall of the Police Department, also a member of Boston Commandery conceived a surprise for the Lieutenant, and the following members of the Boston Police Department assisted in the ceremonies by forming the Triangle about the Altar, Deputy Forrest F Hall acting as Generalissimo.

Sir Knight Arthur B McConnell

Sir Knight Herbert W Goodwin

Sir Knight John N Anderson

Sir Knight William H Allen

Sir Knight Harry P Burns

Sir Knight Frank Thompson

Sir Knight George W Guard

Sir Knight Oscar H Pearce



HERBERT A. WILSON
COMMISSIONER

MICHAEL H. CROWLEY
SUPERINTENDENT

POLICE DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

37 PEMBERTON SQUARE

BOSTON, MASS.

May 21, 1926.

JOSEPH W. WORK.
MASONIC TEMPLE
BOSTON, MASS.

FRIEND JOSEPH.

Enclosed please find names of Police Officers who assisted in the work in Boston Commandry on May 19, 1926

<i>Boston</i>	✓ Arthur B. McConnell	Captain.	Division 1.
	✓ Herbert W. Goodwin	"	" 4.
	✓ John N. Anderson.	"	" 14.
<i>St. Olmes</i>	✓ William H. Allen	Lieutenant	Division 2
<i>Joseph Warren</i>	✓ Harry P. Burns	"	" 5
<i>Joseph Warren</i>	✓ Frank Thompson	"	" 12
<i>Boston</i>	✓ George W. Guard.	"	" 13
	✓ Oscar H. Peare	"	" Retired
<i>Boston</i>	✓ William H. Rymes	Sergeant	Division 8
<i>De Molay</i>	✓ Walter Brown	"	" 2
<i>De Molay</i>	✓ Winfield A. Studley	"	" 12
<i>Boston</i>	✓ Frank N. Harrington	"	" 14
<i>Boston</i>	✓ George H. Mitchell	"	" 20
	✓ Norman S. Ramsey	"	" 20
<i>St. Olmes</i>	✓ Frank E. Stafford	Patrolmen	Division 2
<i>Boston</i>	✓ Charles E. Jounquist.	"	" 8 Retired
<i>Boston</i>	✓ Calvin S. Wyer	"	" 14
	✓ Charles Florentine	"	" 14
<i>Joseph Warren</i>	✓ Robert S. MACLEOD	"	" 20

Respectfully submitted,

Forrest F. Hall.

Deputy Superintendent of Police.

Sir Knight William H Rymes
 Sir Knight Walter Brown
 Sir Knight Winfield A Studley
 Sir Knight Frank N Harrington
 Sir Knight George H Mitchell
 Sir Knight Norman S Ramsay
 Sir Knight Frank E Stafford
 Sir Knight Charles E Jounquist
 Sir Knight Calvin S Wyer
 Sir Knight Charles Florentine
 Sir Knight Robert S MacLeod

Closing

There being no further business, the Commander requested the candidates to proceed to the Recorder's desk, sign the By-Laws and become members of Boston Commandery, and the meeting was closed at 10:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph Curran
Recorder

The following Petitions for the Orders will be ballotted upon Wednesday, June 16, 1926, at 10:00 o'clock.

Comp. Harold Richardson Bates
 Residence 10 Allston Hts Allston
 Occupation Salesman
 Place of business 165 Gore st Cambridge. Swift & Co
 Member of Beth-horen Lodge, Brookline, & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights N. F. Bechtel & George E Dennett

Comp. Chester Augustus Brigham
 Residence 39 Somerset st Boston
 Occupation Musician
 Place of business Scollay Square Theater
 Member of John Abbot Lodge, Somerville, & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
 Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A Brigham & Charles B Wood

Comp. Henry Chisholm
 Residence 19 Chester Rd Belmont
 Occupation Architect & Engineer
 Place of business 46 Cornhill Boston
 Member of Baalbec Lodge, East Boston, & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
 Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Josiah T Dyer

Comp. Arthur Llewellyn Crowell
Residence 19 Belvidere st Suite 3 Boston
Occupation salesman
Place of business 19 Belvidere st Boston
Member of Faith Lodge Charlestown, & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Grover C Hoyt & Em Sir Frank O Clark

Comp. William David Goff Jr
Occupation Manufacturing
Place of business Thomas Strahan Co Chelsea
Member of Paul Revere Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold W Martin & William M Call
Residence 195 Babcock st Brookline

Comp. William Hamilton
Residence 57 Clarendon st Boston
Occupation Engineer
Place of business 590 Atlantic Ave Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights D Henry Childs & Harold W Martin

Comp. Elwood Gave Bryant
Residence 181 Broadway Somerville
Occupation Undertaker
Place of business Somerville
Member of King Solomon's Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Andrew M Kelty & Percy A Brigham

Comp. Alfred Weston Gwinnell
Residence 1277 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Physician
Place of business 1277 Com'lth Ave Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Leslie Hanson
Residence 13 Quincy st Somerville
Occupation Plumber
Place of business Somerville
Member of John Abbot Lodge, Somerville & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles M Berry & George A Berry

Comp. George Leonard Jameson
Residence 53 Winslow Rd Belmont
Occupation Bank Clerk
Place of business Waverley Trust Co
Member of Beaver Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Allen B Hall

Comp. Walter Frank Lawrence
Residence 71 Hancock st Boston
Occupation Tool Maker
Place of business 211 High st Boston
Member of Noddle Island, E. Boston & St Johns R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Fred C Mackintosh & Joseph W Work

Comp. Otto Leopold London
Residence 15 Leonard Ave Cambridge Mass
Occupation Waiter
Place of business Hotel Victoris 271 Dartmouth st Boston
Member of Amicable Lodge Cambridge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight N F Bechtel & Em Sir Frank O Clark

Comp. Leslie Norman MacPherson
Residence 166 Walnut st Brookline
Occupation Printer
Place of business 290 Franklin st Boston
Member of Beth-horen Lodge Brookline & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights John W Schaeffer & William P Bullard

Comp. Walter Sydney Morgan
Residence Sharon
Occupation Certified Public Accountant
Place of business 927 Tremont Bldg Boston
Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Em Sirs Frank O Clark & George U Bauer

Comp. Carl Olof Olsson
Residence 87 Oakley Rd Belmont
Occupation Builder
Place of business 77 Summer st Boston
Member of St John Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Albert A Fischer & Max H Fischer

Comp. Wilfred Arthur Ouimet
Residence 88 Hemman St Roslindale
Occupation sales Representative
Place of business 37 Lansdowne st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Clayton L Havey & John A Johnson

Comp. Harry Revell
Residence 100 Florence Ave Arlington
Occupation Manager
Place of business 1083 Washington st Boston
Member of King Solomons Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Andrew M Kelty & Percy A Brigham

Comp. Harold Scott Stevens
Residence 4356 Washington st Roslindale
Occupation Stereotype
Place of business Boston Transcript
Member of Washington Lodge Roxbury & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights N F Bechtel & Em Sir Frank O Clark

Comp. Frederick Sugden
Residence 88 Hemman st Roslindale
Occupation Contractor
Place of business New York City
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Clayton L Havey

Comp. Warner V Taylor

Residence 97 Forest Ave West Newton

Occupation Lawyer

Place of business 185 Devonshire st Boston

Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter

Recommended by Sir Knights William H Hayes & Roy A Faye

Comp. Walter H Woods

Residence 4 Fairbanks st Brookline

Occupation Manager

Place of business 755 Boylston st Boston

Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Walter E Duncan & Harold W Martin

For Membership

Sir Knight Robert Allan Bradshaw

Residence 197 Woburn st West Medford

Occupation Sheet Metal Contractor

Place of business 180 Milk st Boston

Member of Ocean Lodge #142 Wells Depot, Maine, Murray R A Chapter #33

Kennebunk, Maine, St Amand Commandery, Kennebunk, Maine

Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Joseph W Work

Sir Knight Charles Henry Merriam

Residence 16 Queensbury st Boston

Occupation Post Office Clerk

Place of business Boston Post Office

Member of Adelphi Lodge, Roxbury, & Norfolk R A Chapter, Hyde Park

Recommended by Sir Knights Joseph W Work & Josiah T Dyer

Boston Commandery K T

Tuesday, June 8th, 1926

Funeral Services

Boston Commandery was opened without form with Officers and Sir Knights present to attend the funeral services of Sir Knight John R. Newman.

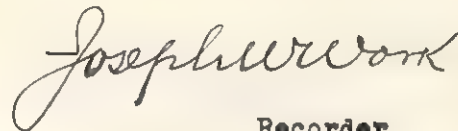
Present

Em Sir Frank O. Clark, Commander
Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo
Sir Knight Robert G Wilson, Senior Warden
Em Sir Knight Charles W Howard, Prelate
Sir Knight John A Johnson, Warder
Sir Knight Josiah T Dyer, Armorer
Sir Knight Charles B Wood, Commisary
Sir Knight Everett W Jacobs
Sir Knight George E Pratt

The above officers and Sir Knights proceeded to the residence of Sir Knight John R. Newman at Winchester, Mass., and conducted the regular Knight Templar service.

A true Record

Attest:



Recorder

Sir Knight John R Newman was born in London, England, August 4, 1847.
Raised in Joseph Warren Lodge
Exalted in St Paul's R A Chapter, Boston, January 19, 1885
Knighted in Boston Commandery K T January 21, 1885
Died in Winchester, Mass. June 5, 1926

Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, June 16, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 10 o'clock A M with the usual line of officers.

Records

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Harold Richardson Bates
Comp. Chester Augustus Brigham
Comp. Henry Chishelm
Comp. Arthur Llewellyn Crowell
Comp. William David Goff Jr
Comp. William Hamilton
Comp. Elwood Gove Bryant
Comp. Alfred Weston Gwinnell
Comp. William Leslie Hanson
Comp. George Leonard Jameson
Comp. Walter Frank Lawrence
Comp. Otto Leopold London
Comp. Leslie Norman MacPherson
Comp. Carl Olof Olsson
Comp. Wilfred Arthur Ouimet
Comp. Harry Revell
Comp. Harold Scott Stevens
Comp. Frederick Sugden
Comp. Warner Varnum Taylor
Comp. Walter Hutton Woods

For Membership

Sir Knight Robert Allan Bradshaw
Sir Knight Charles Henry Merriam

On the application of Comp. Walter Sidney Morgan of Sharon, Mass., a release was not received from the Bay State Commandery, Brockton, Mass., as their meeting was not held until June 21st.

Order of the Temple

The business of the Commandery was resumed at 8:20 P. M.

Letters

Letters were received from the family of Sir Knight John W. Churchill and Sir Knight John R Newman thanking the Commandery for the floral designs and sympathy.

Order of the Temple

The balance of the ceremonies of the Order of the Temple were communicated to the Knights of Malta after which the Commander introduced each Templar to the Commandery and requested them to proceed to the Recorder's desk and sign the By-Laws when they would become members of Boston Commandery.

Closing

The business of the Commandery having been finished, it was closed in due Form at 9:20 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.,

Wednesday, September 15, 1927.

The One Hundred and Twenty-first Annual Conclave

Members Meeting

A Conclave of Knights Templars was opened in Due Form at 4:30 o'clock P. M. with the regular organization, excepting the Treasurer.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committee upon the following application for the Orders having made a favorable report, and a release of jurisdiction received from the Bay State Commandery K T of Brockton, Mass.,

Comp. Walter Sidney Morgan

was upon ballot elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Petitions

The following petitions were read:-

Comp. George Emery Green

Residence 50 Oakland st Medford

Occupation Ship draftsman U S Navy

Place of business Bethlehem Ship Co Quincy

Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Recommended by Sir Knights Burton G Ellis & Clifford M Brewer

Comp. Frederick Barnes Honywill

Residence 78 Rosewood st Mattapan

Occupation Sales Manager

Place of business 88 Broad st Boston

Member of Algonquin Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter, Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Robert A Bradshaw & William L Aldrich

Comp. John Hovsepian

Residence 172 Spring st Medford

Occupation Automobile dealer

Place of business 494-96 Salem st Medford

Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Recommended by Sir Knights Gurney H MacDonald & Ernest Whitney

Comp. Chester Hale Jordan

Residence 1168 Com'lth Ave Boston

Occupation Salesman

Place of business 1168 Com'lth Ave Boston
Member of Athelstan Lodge Worcester & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Myron W Sparks & Joseph W Work

Comp. James Samuel Wesley Rogers
Residence 44 Pinkham Rd Medford Hillside
Occupation Stock & Bond clerk
Place of business Parkinson & Burr 53 State st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Elmer G Page & John W Knowles

Comp. John Thomson Simpson
Residence 14 Hazel st Milton
Occupation Material Supervisor
Place of business N Y N H & HH RR Readville
Member of Macedonian Lodge Milton & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert A Bradshaw & William L Aldrich

Comp. Walter Chase Small
Residence 87 Dover st W Medford
Occupation Insurance
Place of business Field & C wles 40 Broad st Boston
Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Ernest Whitney & Burton G Ellis

Comp. George Charles Tanner
Residence 25 Garfield Ave Hyde Park
Occupation Acetylene Welder
Place of business N Y N H & H Car shop Readville
Member of Rabboni Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended st Sir Knights Robert A Bradshaw & William L Adlrich

Comp. Joseph Burton Toy
Residnece 85 Rockdale st Mattapan
Occupation Supervisor
Place of business N Y N H & H RR Readville
Member of Algonquin Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert A Bradshaw & William L Aldrich

Comp. Ole Larsen Urdahl
Residence Greendale Ave Needham
Occupation Painter Contractor
Place of business Greendale Ave Needham
Member of W Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Warren F Freeman Jr & Emdon B Cornwall

Comp. Warren Marston Vinton
Residence 16 John st Brookline
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 1265 Boylston st Boston
Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William Chester Bragg & Osborne F Briggs

A release of jurisdiction over Companion Louis Worcester Nute of 516 Harvard st., Brookline, Mass. was granted to Gethsemane Commandery #35, Knights Templars of Newtonville, Mass.

Deaths.

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Charles W Chadbourne	
Knighted March 30, 1889	Died July 1, 1926
Sir Knight Frederic M Deam	
Knighted February 17, 1904,	Died May 11, 1926
Sir Knight Lee C Hascall	
Knighted April 20, 1904	Died July 21, 1926
Sir Knight John H Houghton	
Knighted May 20, 1901,	Died June 26, 1926
Sir Knight James E Moore	
Knighted June 20, 1906	Died Aug 29, 1926
Sir Knight Frank W Wardwell	
Knighted March 15, 1882	Died July 21, 1925
Eminent Sir Walter Bradley Tripp	
Knighted June 17, 1903	Died August 8, 1926
Sir Knight George B Archer	
Knighted April 19, 1911	Died Aug 31, 1926

The following notes were received acknowledging flowers sent on account of illness and death.

Mrs. F. L. Ward
Mrs. James Edgar Moore
Mrs. Flornece C Hascall

The Commander reported the illness of Sir Knight Ralph S. Bradner of Winthrop, Mass.

In Memoriam

EMINENT SIR WALTER BRADLEY TRIPP

Born at Cincinnati, Ohio, July 31, 1868
Died at Boston, Massachusetts, August 8, 1926

Eminent Sir Walter Bradley Tripp was Knighted in Boston Commandery June 17, 1903. Having served the Commandery in the different offices was elected Commander September 1920, serving one year, and on account of his many outside duties, declined reelection.

Mt Lebanon Lodge

Entered October 9, 1893
Passed November 13, 1893
Raised December 11, 1893
Master 1903-1904

Euclid Lodge U. D.

Master 1916-1917-1918

District Deputy Grand Master, First District 1912-1913
First Worshipful Master's Association in Massachusetts
President 1924-1925

St Andrew's Royal Arch Chapter High Priest 1913-1914
Secretary 1924-25-26

Grand Royal Arch Chapter

Grand Captain of the Host 1922-1923
Grand King 1924

Boston Council

Admitted Jan 31, 1901
Greeted Feb 28, 1901
Made Mar 28, 1901

Scottish Rite

Boston Lafayette Lodge of Perfection Dec 7, 1906
Giles F Yates Council P of J Dec 18, 1906
Mt Olivet Chapter Rose Croix Feb 15, 1907
Massachusetts Consistory April 26, 1909
In Mount Olivet Chapter Rose Croix Most Wise Master
1919-20-21
Supreme Council Honorary Member 1921

Entered Emerson College, Boston, in 1887 and was graduated with class of 1889. Became a member of the Faculty shortly after his graduation and served up to the time of his decease.

He was a former President of the Drama League of America, Boston Chapter, and a former President of the Dickens Fellowship.

He was a member of the Boston Athletic Association.

The Commandery has lost a valuable member, one who always had its interest at heart, also who with his ability, kept the standard of our Commandery surpassed by none.

We all will miss his genial salutations and kindly words of good cheer.

Courteously submitted

Frederick C Graves
Joseph T Paul

Committee

Boston Commandery



Knights Templars

ORGANIZED 1802
CHARTERED 1806

Boston Commandery OF Knights Templars.

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL CONCLAVE.

MEMBERS' MEETING.

A Stated Conclave of BOSTON COMMANDERY OF
KNIGHTS TEMPLARS will be held in Ionic Hall

MASONIC TEMPLE

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1927

AT 4.30 O'CLOCK P. M.

for the purpose of opening a COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS
TEMPLARS for the despatch of business.

By order of



Commander,
470 Atlantic Ave., Boston
Telephone, Hancock 5390

Attest:



Recorder,
204 Masonic Temple, Boston
Telephone, Hancock 8748

Boston, September 16, 1927, A.O. 809.

Knights are requested to notify the Commander of the illness or
death of any member of the Commandery.

THE BUSINESS OF THE CONCLAVE will be transacted at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

The following Petition for the Orders will be balloted upon
Wednesday, September 21, 1927, at 4.30 o'clock P. M.

Comp. JAMES McKENZIE GAULD

Residence: 178 Walter Street, Roslindale.

Occupation: Treasurer.

Place of Business: 61 Court Street, Boston.

Member of West Roxbury Lodge and St. Andrews R. A. Chapter, Boston.

Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P. Small and Harold W. Martin.

Annual Reports.

REPORT OF ARMORER.

REPORT OF RECORDER.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE PERMANENT FUND.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE CHARITY FUND.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Report of Nominating Committee.

JULY 28, 1927

To the Commander and Members of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars,
Boston, Mass.

Sir Knights:

Your Committee on nominations of officers for Boston Commandery for the
ensuing year in performance of their duties recommend the following nominations:

For Commander — SIR KNIGHT CHARLES L. HAMILTON.

For Generalissimo — SIR KNIGHT WILLIAM P. BULLARD.

For Capitan General — SIR KNIGHT ROBERT G. WILSON.

For Senior Warden — SIR KNIGHT ELMER G. PAGE.

For Junior Warden — SIR KNIGHT JOHN A. JOHNSON.

For Treasurer — SIR KNIGHT HERBERT A. RHOADES.

For Recorder — SIR KNIGHT JOSEPH W. WORK.

For Prelate — Em. SIR CHARLES W. HOWARD.

For Trustee for the Permanent and Charity Funds for three years —

Em. SIR JESSE E. AMES.

Courteously submitted,

FREDERICK H. BRIGGS.

JOHN H. BOWKER.

FREDERICK C. GRAVES.

DINNER AT 6.00 P. M.

Provision will be made only for those who reply (post card
enclosed) by Monday, September 19, 1927.

7.30 P. M.

Installation of Officers

BY

EM. SIR CHARLES W. HOWARD

Past Commander of Boston Commandery, K. T.

Assisted by

EM. SIR FREDERICK H. BRIGGS

Grand Senior Warden Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island
as Deputy Grand Warden

ORGANIZATION 1926-1927

Commander

Eminent Sir FRANK O. CLARK

470 Atlantic Ave., Boston

Tel. Hancock 5390

Generalissimo

Sir CHARLES L. HAMILTON
129 Medford Street, Malden
Tel. Malden 2751

Captain General

Sir WILLIAM P. BULLARD
110 Tremont Street, Boston
Tel. Liberty 1834

Senior Warden

Sir ROBERT G. WILSON

Junior Warden

Sir ELMER G. PAGE

Treasurer

Sir HERBERT A. RHOADES

Recorder

Sir JOSEPH W. WORK

Prelate

Eminent Sir CHARLES W. HOWARD

Associate Prelates

Sir Rev. FRANCIS B. WHITE

Sir Rev. RAYMOND LANG

Standard Bearer, Sir OSCAR W. WATERHOUSE

National Color Bearer, Sir ARTHUR M. BLADES

Sword Bearer Emeritus, Sir EDGAR F. HUNT

State Color Bearer, Sir RICHARD RAY, Jr.

Sword Bearer, Sir JOHN F. COOK

Armorer, Sir JOSIAH T. DYER

Warder, Sir JOHN A. JOHNSON

Tel. Somerset 1662-W

Surgeon, Sir ANDREW P. CORNWALL, M. D.

Sentinel, Sir EDWARD F. JACOBS

Commissary, Sir CHARLES B. WOOD

Musical Director, Sir THOMAS M. CARTER

Quartermaster, Sir ALBERT B. HALL

Organist, Sir EBEN H. BAILEY

Quartermaster, Sir JAMES FRANK MUNROE

Orderly, Sir JOHN W. KNOWLES

Beaumont Bearer, Sir GEORGE L. H. STEVENSON

Master of Ceremonies, Em. Sir GEORGE U. BAUER

Captain of the Guard, Sir ARTHUR N. HALE

Lieutenant of the Guard, Sir STEPHEN WEILER

Second Guard, Sir WILLIAM L. ALDRICH

Third Guard, Sir WILBERT SOULE

First Guard, Sir HAROLD M. SAWYER

Custodian of Candidates, Sir WINFIELD L. NOURSE

Trustees of the Permanent and Charity Funds

Eminent Sir FRANK O. CLARK, *ex-officio*

Sir Knight HERBERT A. RHOADES, *ex-officio*

Eminent Sir JOSEPH T. PAUL, term expires September, 1928

Sir Knight LEON M. ABBOTT, term expires September, 1929

Eminent Sir JESSE E. AMES, term expires September, 1930

Past Commanders, 1802-1926

*Rt. E. Sir HENRY FOWLE 1802-1824
*Rt. E. Sir ROBERT LASH 1824-1825
*Rt. E. Sir JOHN JAMES LORING 1825-1827
*Rt. E. Sir ABRAHAM ANNIS DAME 1827-1830
*Rt. E. Sir EDWARD ASA RATMOND 1830-1832
*E. Sir THOMAS POWER 1832-1833
*Rt. E. Sir JOHN HEWS 1833-1835
*E. Sir GILBERT NURSE 1835-1836
*Rt. E. Sir JOHN FLINT 1836-1838
*Rt. E. Sir CHARLES WHITLOCK MOORE 1838-1839
*Rt. E. Sir DANIEL HARWOOD 1839-1841
*Rt. E. Sir RUEL BAKER 1841-1842
*Rt. E. Sir JOHN BARRETT HAMMATT 1842-1844
*Rt. E. Sir WINBLOW LEWIS 1844-1846
*Rt. E. Sir JOHN RUFUS BRADFORD 1846-1848
*E. Sir SAMUEL PEARCE 1848-1850
*Rt. E. Sir DANIEL HARWOOD 1850-1857
*Rt. E. Sir WILLIAM ELLISON 1857-1861
*E. Sir JOHN KETTLE HALL 1861-1864
*E. Sir WYDEMAN MARSHALL 1864-1866
*E. Sir CHARLES CHASE DAME 1866-1867
*E. Sir CHARLES EDWARD POWERS 1867-1869
*E. Sir WILLIAM SAYWARD 1869-1871
*E. Sir HENRY ENDICOTT 1871-1873
*Rt. E. Sir SAMUEL CROCKER LAWRENCE 1873-1875
*E. Sir SAMUEL MASON, Jr. . . . 1875-1877
*E. Sir JAMES HUMPHREYS UPHAM 1877-1879

*E. Sir JACOB FRANCIS LOTTS 1879-1881
*E. Sir JOHN LINDSAY STEVENSON 1881-1883
*E. Sir EDWIN WRIGHT 1883-1884
E. Sir FREDERICK TOWNE COMEE 1884-1886
*Rt. E. Sir EUGENE HERVEY RICHARDS 1886-1888
*E. Sir JAMES MELLEEN GLEASON 1888-1890
*E. Sir EUGENE ALEXANDER HOLTON 1890-1892
*E. Sir LEONARD BAILEY NICHOLS 1892-1893
*Rt. E. Sir CHARLES IRA LITCHFIELD 1893-1895
E. Sir HENRY HOWLAND LITCHFIELD 1895-1897
E. Sir WILLIAM BADGER LAWRENCE 1897-1899
*E. Sir JOHN GILMAN WAITE 1899-1900
E. Sir JOHN HENRY BOWKER 1900-1902
*E. Sir RINALDO BUREN RICHARDSON 1902-1904
*E. Sir RICHARD AREY ATWOOD 1904-1906
E. Sir CHARLES STANHOPE DAMEWELL 1906-1908
Rt. E. Sir JAMES STONE BLAKE 1908-1910
E. Sir JESSE EDWIN AMES 1910-1912
E. Sir LEONARD WARREN ROSS 1912-1913
E. Sir FREDERICK CLARIDGE GRAVES 1913-1914
E. Sir JOSEPH TOTTEN PAUL 1914-1916
E. Sir GEORGE URBAN BAUER 1916-1918
E. Sir CHARLES WILLIAM HOWARD 1918-1920
*E. Sir WALTER BRADLEY TRIPP 1920-1921
E. Sir FREDERICK HUNTINGTON BRIGGS 1921-1923
*E. Sir GEORGE THOMAS WILEY 1923-1925
E. Sir FRANK O. CLARK 1925-

* Deceased

Communication

The Commander announced that he had received a note from Past Grand Master Joseph Kyle Orr of Atlanta, Georgia, sending his Knightly Greeting to the Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery.

It was Voted to acknowledge said Communication and extend to our Honorary member of Boston Commandery the sincere appreciation of being in his thoughts and thanking him for his Knightly Greetings.

Halloween Party

Voted: That the Commandery hold a Halloween Party on October 30th, 1926, and the Council to have full powers to make all arrangements.

Annual Reports

The Annual Reports of the following Officers were received, and it was voted to receive the same, and make them part of this record thereof. (See end of record)

Boston Commandery K T

Sept 15, 1926

To the Officers and Members of Boston Commandery K T

Your Finance Committee submit herewith their Annual Report.

We have examined the books of the Recorder, Treasurer and Trustees of the Permanent and Charity Fund and find them correct with proper vouchers for all disbursements.

Records

The Recorder's report which you have heard read states that we		
have Knighted 68, affiliated 8, membership		1464
	Knighted	68
	Affiliated	8
	Total	1540
less deaths	23	
dimits	5	
suspension	21	
total		49
	Present membership	1491
making an increase for the 27		

Treasurer

Sept 16, 1925, Balance on hand	242.87
Total receipts for the year	29771.76
which includes income from the Permanent Fund of 4638.50	

Disbursements for the year per order of the
Council as per vouchers 29143.68

Balance on hand August 31, 1926 870.45
30014.13

Assests of the Commandery

The assesta of the Commandery at the present time are as follows;

Permanent Fund	103932.15
Charity Fund	13361.46
S. C. Lawrence Charity Fund	6009.54
Commander's Fund	610.59
General Fund Balance	<u>870.45</u>
Total	124784.19

Assests for 1925 120800.77

Increase during the year 3983.42

Frank O Clark Commander
Charles L Hamilton Generalissimo
William P Bullard Captain General

Presentation of Sword and Belt

Eminent Sir Frederick H Briggs presented to the Commander a sword and belt in behalf of the Commandery.

The Commander, Frank O Clark, expressed his appreciation for the same, and thanking the Commandery he assured them it would always remind him of the very pleasant associations during his term of office.

Report of the Nominating Committee

Boston, Sept., 15, 1926

Eminent Commander and Sir Knights;-

Your Committee appointed to nominate Officers for Boston Commandery K. T. for the ensuing year, report as follows;-

For Commander	Em Sir Frank O Clark
Generalissimo	Sir Charles L Hamilton
Captain General	Sir William P Bullard
Senior Warden	Sir Robert G Wilson
Junior Warden	Sir Elmer G Page
Treasurer	Sir Herbert A Rhodes
Recorder	Sir Joseph W Work
Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard

Trustee for the Permanant & Charity Funds for three years
Sir Leon M Abbott

Courteously submitted

Eugene A Holtom
Frank L Morse
Wilbert Soule
Forest F Hall

Committee

Voted: That the report of the Nominating Committee be accepted and the Commandery proceed to ballot.

The Commander called Eminent Sir Frederick H Briggs to the chair, and he appointed the following as a committee to receive, sort and count the ballots for Commander.

Em Sir Joseph T Paul
Em Sir George U Bauer
Sir Knight Frederick L Briggs

The Committee reported the whole number of votes cast for Commander 88, necessary for a choice 45. Em Sir Frank O Clark had 88.

A Committee comprising all of the Past Commanders present were appointed to notify Em Sir Frank O Clark that he was elected Commander of Boston Commandery for the ensuing year.

Eminent Sir Briggs appraised Em Sir Clark that he was unanimously elected as Commander for the ensuing year, and he acknowledged the honor of again being selected as Commander, and assured the Commandery that he would give his best efforts to make the ensuing year successful.

Generalissimo

The same Committee distributed ballots for Generalissimo of Boston Commandery for the ensuing year, and reported that the whole number of voted was 96, necessary for a choice 49. Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton received 96.

Captain General

The presiding officer appointed the following Sir Knights as a Committee to distribute, count, assort ballots and they reported as follows whole number for Captain General 104, necessary for choice 53 Sir Knight William P Bullard had 104.

Em Sir John H Bowker
Sir George L H Stephenson
Sir F W Breed

Officers

By vote of the Commandery the following officers were elected on one ballot receiving 111 votes.

For Senior Warden	Sir Knight Robert G Wilson
For Junior Warden	" Elmer G Page
For Prelate	Em Sir Charles W Howard
For Treasurer	Sir Knight Herbert A Rhoades
For Recorder	" Joseph W Work

Trustee for the Permanent & Charity Fund
for Three Years.

The Commandery voted to authorize the Recorder to cast one ballot for Trustee for the Permanent and Charity Fund for three years and in accordance with that vote he deposited the vote for Sir Knight Leon M Abbott, and he was declared elected.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers and Sir Knights formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall where they enjoyed not only the dinner served, but an entertainment under the direction of Sir William P Bullard, Captain General.

Installation

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple and the Commander invited Em Sir Knight Frederick H Briggs, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island to occupy the East in order to install the officers of Boston Commandery for the ensuing year.

He was assisted by Em Sir Charles W Howard, Deputy Grand Warden.

The following officers were duly installed.

Em Sir Frank O Clark	Commander
Sir Charles L Hamilton	Generalissimo
Sir William P Bullard	Capt General
Sir Robert G Wilson	Senior Warden
Sir Elmer G Page	Junior Warden
Sir Joseph W Work	Recorder
Sir Rev Francis B White	Associate Prelate
Sir Rev Raymond Lang	Associate Prelate
Sir Oscar W Waterhouse	Standard Bearer
Sir John F Cook	Sword Bearer
Sir John A Johnson	Warder
Sir Charles B Wood	Commissary
Sir Albert B Hall	Quartermaster
Sir George L H Stevenson	Beauseant Bearer
Sir Arthur M Blades	National Color Bearer
Sir Richard Ray	State Color Bearer
Sir Josiah T Dyer	Armorer
Sir Edward F Jacobs	Sentinel
Sir Thomas M Carter	Musical Director
Sir Eben H Bailey	Organist
Sir John W Knowles	Orderly
Sir Arthur N Hale	Captain of the Guard

The Commander expressed his appreciation for the excellent manner in which Eminent Sir Briggs installed the Officers, and also expressed his pleasure to Em Sir Charles W Howard for his valuable assistance.

The usual proclamation was announced.

The One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Anniversary of
Boston Commandery E T

Eminent Sir Briggs announced that in March 1927 would be the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Anniversary of Boston Commandery, and he earnestly requested that every Sir Knight would do everything that they could to make this celebration one of the best in the history of the Commandery by obtaining new members during this year.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 9:20 P. M.

A true Record.

Attest:

Present 282 members

Joseph W Work

Recorder

Reports of Officers and Committees

Recorder

Boston Commandery K T
Boston Sept 15, 1926

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston Commandery K. T. your Recorder submits herewith his Annual Report.

Number of members Sept 16, 1925	1464	
Admitted during the year	68	
Affiliated	8	
Total	<u>8</u>	1540

Less

Number dimitted during the year	5	
Suspended	21	
Died	<u>23</u>	
Total		<u>49</u>
	Present membership	1491

Membership is as follows

Life Sept 16, 1925	280	
Made during the year	<u>6</u>	
	286	
Died during the year	<u>8</u>	
	278	
Hon Life	8	
Hon	<u>7</u>	
	293	
Paying	<u>1198</u>	1491

Cash received

Orders	5325.00	
Regalia	3100.00	
Dues	9355.88	
Life Membership	720.00	
Membership	428.00	
Dinners	988.00	
Cases	84.00	
Traveling cards	1.50	
Interest on deposits	<u>12.99</u>	
Total		20015.37
Paid to Herbert A Rhoades, Treas.		20015.37

Initiates Order of the Temple

George Chipman Ames

Nov 18, 1925

Charles Russell Baker	Nov 18, 1925
Emdon Burtal Cornwall	"
Carl Jewell Downing	"
Burton Gordon Gillespie	"
Clayton Locke Havey	"
Erich Ernst Schurian	Jan 20, 1926
Lars Arvid Svenson	Nov 18, 1925
Henry Carter Whitcomb	"
Harry Lawrence Dalzell	Jan 20, 1926
Herbert Wellington Goodwin	"
George Samuel Grow	"
Joseph Duryea Hildreth	"
Joseph Henry Hart Kelley	"
John MacNeily	"
Walter Edward McQuinn	"
Otto Henry Maier	"
William Waldo Nelson	"
Ralph Kenneth Allen	Mar 17, 1926
Albert Farr Morey	"
Lawrence Evitts Tewksbury	"
Louis Sherman Breed	May 19, 1926
George Wilson Bunker	Mar 17, 1926
Charles Lincoln Carpenter	"
Edward Edwards	"
Warren Franklin Freeman	May 19, 1926
Warren Franklin Freeman Jr	"
Truman Davis Hayes	Mar 17, 1926
William Max Meissner	"
William Earl Palmer	May 19, 1926
Henry Otto Schreiber	Mar 17, 1926
George Albert Spargo	"
Richard Wilson	Mar 18, 1926
Charles Josselyn Bliss	May 19, 1926
Wallace Edgar Crowley	"
James William Fielding	"
Oliver Howard Kent	"
Shepard Atherton Raymond	June 16, 1926
Clarence Wallbank	May 19, 1926
Ralph Leslie Whitcomb	"
Osborne Francis Briggs	"
Gordon Davidson Gilbert	"
Frederick Joseph Swendeman	"
Arthur Anwyl Evans	June 16, 1926
Harry Atwood Fletcher	"
Fred Johnson	"
Ernest Tracey Mander	"
George Sunderland Pingree	"
Harold Richardson Bates	"
Chester Augustus Brigham	"
Henry Chisholm	"
Arthur Llewlyn Crowell	"
William David Goff Jr	"
William Hamilton	"
Elwood Gove Bryant	"
Alfred Weston Gwinnell	"

William Leslie Hanson	June 16, 1926
George Leonard Jameson	"
Walter Frank Lawrence	"
Otto Leopold London	"
Lester Norman MacPherson	"
Carl Olof Olsson	"
Wilfred Arthur Ouimet	"
Harry Revell	"
Harold Scott Stevens	"
Frederick Sugden	"
Warner Varnum Taylor	"
Walter Hutton Woods	"

Affiliated

Jean Henry Stowell	Feb 17, 1926
Lawrence Edward Whitehead	"
Luther Ernest Gruber	Mar 17, 1926
Albert Walsh Lang	"
William Van Ummerson	Apr 21, 1926
William Bryant Bailey	Aug 20, 1926
Robert Allen Bradshaw	Aug 26, 1926
Charles Henry Merriam	Aug 30, 1926

Rejections

Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell rejected for membership March 17, 1926.

Dimitted

Sir Knight Richard O Clark	Sept 15, 1925
Sir Knight Rupert L Ridgeway	"
Sir Knight Leo Weidhorn	"
Frederick W Hovestad	Jan 20, 1926
John F Rich	Sept 15, 1925

Suspended

	Jan 1, 1926	Non payment dues
Sumner E Coleman	"	"
William H Cartland	"	"
Charles E Davison	"	"
Harry A Earnshaw	"	"
Gerhardt M W Goettling	"	"
Augustus B Henley	"	"
Herbert N Hanson	"	"
Harold S Hall	"	"
Albin Kinkuist	"	"
Frederick L Robinson	"	"
George W Pfeiffer	"	"
George H Smith	"	"
Kenneth Stare	"	"
Monroe E Toevs	"	"
Lombard Williams	"	"
Robert A Wright	"	"
Harold B Wilbur	"	"

Clyde R Cowan
Harry P White
Rodney Hallam
Clarence S Voorheis

Jan 1, 1926

Non payment dues

"
"
"

Deaths

Alexander Bruce	4/22/26	Life
Herman L Buss	4/20/26	"
John W Churchill	5/30/26	"
Henry C Cottle	1/1/26	"
Richard N Davis	12/11/22	"
Gershom Cutter	2/8/21	"
Frank T Goodwin	9/13/25	"
Franklin C Jillson	5/7/26	
Frank A Kennedy	2/25/26	"
John R Newman	6/5/26	"
George R Nugent	6/22/25	
Francis A Smith	4/3/26	
Julius Strous	3/26/26	
Albert E Walker	4/22/26	
William B Whitcomb	11/27/25	
Frank H Wyman	3/27/26	
Bainbridge W Woodman	12/13/25	
George T Wiley	11/10/25	
Charles W Chadbourne	7/1/26	
Lee C Hascall	7/3/26	
Elmer W Smith	4/15/26	
Walter Bradley Tripp	8/8/26	Hon
James E Moore	8/29/25	

Sept 15, 1926

To the Commander, Officers and Members of Boston Commandery.

Your Treasurer submits herewith his Annual Report.

Receipts

Balance September 1, 1926	242.87
Orders	5325.00
Regalias	3100.00
Membership	428.00
Life Membership	720.00
Dues	9833.88
Rental of cases	84.00
Dinners	988.00
Traveling cards	1.50
Interest on bank balances	

Treasurer	12.89	
Recorder	<u>12.99</u>	25.88

Rebate on Insurance	6.65
Rental of piano	11.85
Charity Funds o/o Funerals	350.00
Sale of tickets Halloween Party	682.50

New Years Eve "	1291.50
Inspection	624.00
Springfield & Templeton	2012.00
Portland Trip	148.00

Income Permanent Fund	<u>4638.50</u>
	30014.13

Payments

Printing Stationery & Supplies	1824.03
Cigars	647.28
Collations	5285.55
Music at meetings	235.00
Entertainments at meetings	405.00
Regalias	3298.50
Returned fees	200.00
Flowers for sick	54.00
Funerals	
Flowers	165.00
Music	140.00
Armorer	20.00
Sexton	10.00
Minister	10.00

Church	25.00	
Busses	12.75	
Grand Lodge	25.00	
Advertising	<u>57.50</u>	465.25

Paraphernalia supplies		242.66
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Rent		2080.00
Assistant Armorer	1925	50.00
Sentinel Salary		89.00
Past Eminent Commanders Sword		175.00
Storage records		5.00
Safe deposit box		7.25
Repairing clocks		15.00
Cleaning cases		23.40
Past Eminent Commanders Picture		6.00
Sword for Captain of the Guard		45.00
Shield for bowlers		18.00
Pictures and frames		29.00
Crosses for burials		32.68
Insurance		202.00
Pencils for proposers of candidates		89.03
Rituals		22.00
Copying records		12.50
Traveling cards		1.00
Diplomas		35.35

Armorer

Salary	500.00	
Meetings	55.00	
Telephone & Sundries	<u>39.15</u>	594.15

Recorder

Salary	500.00	
Rent	84.00	
Telephone	<u>24.00</u>	608.00

Supplies for chorus	5.00
Detroit club printing	11.50
Printing for dances	59.50
Portland trip	150.00
Expenses to Providence	15.00
Golf team at Unicorn club	236.68
<u>Halloween Party</u>	

Rent of Hall	83.00
Music	66.00
Printing	42.00
Banquet	500.80
Decorations	30.00
Favors	75.75
Entertainment	90.00

Police	6.00	
Expressage	13.75	
Taxi & Telephone	.85	
Cash returned	<u>10.00</u>	918.15

New Years Eve Party

Work in Gothic Hall	35.00	
Flowers	96.00	
Music	78.00	
Favors & noisie makers	109.93	
Candy	101.87	
Entertainment	125.00	
Program	98.75	
Entertaining Grand Officers	48.55	
Police, express, extra work etc & tips	100.00	
Piano	17.00	
Printing	67.50	
Decorations	25.00	
Rent of Temple	120.00	
Banquet	<u>11.34</u>	2156.60

Inspection

Theater	822.00	
Invitations	72.20	
Printing	24.50	
Entertaining Grand Officers	89.00	
Music	104.00	
Busses	12.00	
Collations	<u>593.90</u>	1717.60

Ascension Sunday

Printing	12.00	
Busses	30.00	
Order of services	35.00	
Taxis	10.00	
Band	178.00	
Collation	<u>461.50</u>	732.50

St Johns Day

Printing	52.50
Busses	272.00
Railroad Fares	481.44
Collations	306.68
Templeton Inn	1087.90
Returned cash	18.00
Entertaining	150.00

Favors, prizes etc	126.33	
Tips	58.00	
Flags	40.80	
Entertainment	60.00	
Expenses of Committee	5.30	
Band	275.00	
Candy	<u>25.20</u>	2959.15

<u>Sundries</u>		91.18
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Trustees Permanent Fund

Life Membership	720.00	
10% receipts	1488.69	
Grand Commandery dues	<u>1085.50</u>	

Total payments	29143.68
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Balance August 31, 1926	<u>870.45</u>
	30014.13

Courteously submitted

Herbert A Rhoades

Treasurer

Boston, September 15, 1926

Report of Trustees of Permanent Fund

Balance Sept 1, 1925	2080.96
Received income from Investments	4638.50
" Pere Parquette Scrip sold	59.80
" Return interest Los Angeles Gas & Elec Bds	17.72
" " " So Cal Edison Bds	24.73
" " " Mass Gas Co Bds	.45
" Boston Commandery Life Membership	720.00
" " 10% receipts	1488.69
	<hr/> 9030.85

Payments

2000 Southern California Edison 5s @ 100	2000.00
Int 2/29	24.73
1000 Massachusetts Gas Co 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ @ 98 $\frac{1}{2}$	985.00
Int 0/3	.45
Deposited in Medford Savings Bank	132.06
" Boston Penny Savings Bank	98.48
Paid Boston Commandery Income	4638.50
	<hr/> 1151.63
Balance	9030.85

The investments of the Fund are as follows:-

5000 Amer Tel & Tel coll Trust 4s 1929 #53553-5612-14725-17709-61932	5000.00
10000 Atch Top & Sante Fe Gen Mtg Gold 4s 1995 Nos M107001/107010	10000.00
3000 Baltimore & Ohio 1st Mtg Gold 4s 1948 Nos M25151/M25123	3000.00
5000 Boston Elevated Gold 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ -1941 Nos 2724/2728	5000.00
2000 Boston Elevated 6s 1933 Nos 2227/28	2000.00
4000 Boston & Albany Imp Bonds of 1908-4s 1933 Nos 266/269	4000.00
1000 Boston & Maine 4s 1926 Nos 1791	1000.00
2500 Boston & Maine 10 year Mtg series F 6s 1930 Nos A 3520 \$1000 Nos 471/73 \$500 each	2500.00

3000 Chic Bur & Quinn Neb Ext Mtg 4s 1927 Nos 2137 15874/75	3000.00
2000 Chic Rock & Pac 1st & Ref Mtg Gold 4-1924 Nos 20550/51	2000.00
3000 Denver & Rio Grande 1st Cons Mtg Gold 4-1936 Nos 13386-560-13156	3000.00
2000 Eastn Mass St Ry Ref Mtg Series A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1948 Nos 10965/66	2000.00
100 Eastn Mass St Ry Ref Mtg series D 6 1948 # 643	100.00
2000 Electrical Securities Coll F S E 5s 1939 # G 498/99	2000.00
1000 Electrical Securities Coll F S E 5s 1941 # J 295	1000.00
4000 Lake Shore & Mich So Gold Deb 4s 1928 # M35775 M9868 M 9869 M 7942	4000.00
2000 Los Angeles Gas & Elect 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1949 # M6414/15	2000.00
1000 Massachusetts Gas Co 20 years S F Gold 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1946 # 11513	1000.00
3000 New York Cent Com Gold Deb 6s 1935 # 23859-M54555- M 13546	3000.00
2000 New York Telephone 1st Gen Mtg S F Gold 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1939 # 2977-M23043	2000.00
2000 Northern Pacific Prior Lien & Bond Gr Gold 4- 1997 # M 64833-M 24762	2000.00
2000 Oregon & Wash RR& Nav 1st Ref Mtg series A 43 1961 # 41688/89	2000.00
2000 Pacific light & Power 1st Mtg Gold 5-1924 # 1999/2000	2000.00
2000 Pennsylvania RR Cons Mtg 4s 1948 # 53842- 47483	2000.00
1000 Phil & Reading Coal Iron Ref Mtg S F Gold 5-1973 # M15723	1000.00
1000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1949 # M 2996	1000.00
2000 Reading Co Genl & Ref Mtg Gold series A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1997 # M 51130/31	2000.00

3000 St Louis San Francisco Equip 5s series A 1934 # 4559/61	3000.00
2000 Southern California Edison Gen Mtg Gold 5s 1939 # 625-627	2000.00
2000 Southern California Edison Genl & Ref Mtg Gold 5 1944 # M 34238/39	2000.00
2000 Union Pacific 20 year convert Gold 4s 1927 # M3761- M42782	2000.00
4000 U S 1st 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1947 # C00272543 D00272544 E00272545 A 00272546	4000.00
2000 U S 3d 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1928 # 215877/78 \$500 each 786551 #1000	2000.00
2500 U S 4th 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ 1938 # H00442978 \$500 J00721959 K00721960 \$1000each	2500.00
2000 U S Gold Notes 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ 1927 # 2095/56	2000.00
2000 Upper coos RR 4s 1930 # 155-169	2000.00
2000 Western Union Collt Trust 5-1938 #8499-2292	2000.00
1000 Wilmington City Elect 1st Mtg Gold 5-1951 # 3	1000.00
Book #83476 Boston Penny Savings Bank	2263.32
" 6456 Medford Savings Bank	3034.70
Deposit in Commercial Security Natl Bond	1151.63
33 Shares Pere Marquette RR Common stock ctf # 12638 Market value Aug 31-1926	<u>3382.50</u> 103932.15

The property of the Commandery is insured through
Sir Knight Frank W Richards for \$40000.00

Courteously submitted

Frank O Clark
Herbert A Rhoades
Joseph T Paul
Leon M Abbott
Eugene A Holton

Trustees Permanent Fund

Boston, September 15, 1926

Report of Trustees Charity Fund

Received

Dividends	Malden Savings Bank	68.80
	Boston Penny Savings Bank	304.84
	Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank	81.95
	Home Savings Bank	11.10
	Chelsea "	77.48
	Dorchester "	57.70
	Warren Institution for Savings	67.42
	Brighton 5 ¢ Savings Bank	5.48
	Cambridge "	81.50
	East Boston	95.08
Donation	Mrs Mary A Sawyer	50.00
	Boston Council a/c Henry Belden	50.00
	Scottish Rite "	150.00
	Consistory "	50.00
	Aleppo Temple "	50.00
	Boston Commandery Samuel O Lawrence Fund	300.00
	Boston Penny Savings Bank	71.85
		<hr/>
		1359.20

Paid	sundry persons relief	914.12
	Boston Commandery Funeral expenses	350.00
	Deposited in East Boston Savings Bank	95.08
		<hr/>
		1359.20

Fund now consists of

Book #	89162	Boston Penny Savings Bank	626.76
"	19186	Brighton 5¢ "	122.64
"	56344	Cambridge "	1630.84
"	76293	Charlestown 5¢ "	1639.18
"	73245	Chelsea "	1631.14
"	13309	Dorchester "	1282.88
"	68753	East Boston "	1973.24
"	129411	Home Savings "	1580.20
"	51648	Malden "	1376.36
"	86250	Warren Inst for Savings	1498.22
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			13361.46

Courteously submitted

Frank O Clark
Herbert A Rhoades
Leon M Abbott
Eugene A Holten
Joseph T Paul

Trustees Charity Fund

Boston Sept. 15, 1926

Report of Trustees of Charity Fund

Samuel C Lawrence Fund

Received coupons N Y Central RR	120.00
" American Tel & Tel	100.00
" Dividends Boston Penny Savings Bank	45.79
" " Essex Savings Bank	<u>37.50</u>
	303.29

Paid

Trustees Charity Fund a/c Funerals	300.00
Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>3.29</u>
	303.29

Fund now consists of

Book # 228194 Essex Savings Bank Lawrence	1000.00
" 148394 Boston Penny Savings Bank	<u>1009.54</u>
Am Tel & Tel 30 year Coll Fe 5s 1946 # 48738 29209	2000.00
N Y Centl 20 year convert del 6s 1935 # M 32342/43	<u>2000.00</u>
	6009.54

Courteously submitted

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Trustees Charity Fund

Boston, September 15, 1926

Report of the Trustees of the Commander's Fund.

Income for year

Federal land Grant Bond coupons	23.75
Boston Penny Savings Bank Dividends	<u>3.86</u>
	27.61

Deposited in Boston Penny Savings Bank	27.61
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The fund is invested as follows:-

Federal Land Bank Bond	4 3/4%	1953	500.00
Book # 157566			
Boston Penny Savings Bank			<u>110.59</u>
			610.59

Courteously submitted

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Herbert A Rhoades
Eugene A Holton
Leon M Abbott
Joseph T Paul

Trustees Commanders Fund

Boston Sept. 14, 1926

Boston Commandery K T

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Members of
Boston Commandery K T

Your Armorer submits herewith his Annual Report:-

The Armorer reports herewith that the paraphernalia and
property of Boston Commandery K T is as entered in the
Armorer's record book.

Courteously yours,

Josiah T Dyer

Armorer

Officers appointed Boston Commandery of
Knights Templars 1925-1926

Associate Prelate	Sir Rev Francis B White
Standard Bearer	Sir Oscar W Waterhouse
Sword bearer Emeritus	Sir Edgar F Hunt
Sword bearer	Sir John Franklin Cook
Warder	Sir John A Johnson
Surgeon	Sir Andrew P Cornwall M D
Commissary	Sir Charles B Wood
Quartermaster	Sir Albert B Hall
Beauseant Bearer	Sir George L H Stevenson
National Color Bearer	Sir Arthur M Blades
State Color Bearer	Sir Richard Ray Jr
Armorer	Sir Josiah T Dyer
Sentinel	Sir Edward F Jacobs
Musical Director	Sir Thomas M Carter
Organist	Sir Eben H Bailey
Orderly	Sir John W Knowles
Master of Ceremonies	Em Sir George U Bauer
Captain of the Guard	Sir Arthur N Hale
Lieutenant of the Guard	Sir Stephen Weiler
Third Guard	Sir Wilbert Soule
Second Guard	Sir William L Aldrich
First Guard	Sir Harold M Sawyer
Custodian of Candidates	Sir Winfield L Nourse

Guards

Sir Charles E Bacon	Sir George Garden
" Chester A Baker	" Percy A Goodale
" Albert William Barnard	" Joseph E Goodbar
" Stephen D Bartlett	" Wilbur George Hutchins
" Karl David Bean	" Charles G Johnson
" John W Berquist	" James H Jones
" Hans H M Borghardt	" R Frank Kendrick
" Francis W Breed Jr	" Harry D Kirkland
" Percy A Brigham	" Alden Leland
" Kenneth Campbell	" Elmer Bertrand Lincoln
" Lawrence S Carr	" Charles W MacGary
" Edgar W Childs	" Fred Crawford Mackintosh
" E T Cobb	" Frank A MacSheffray
" Roland D Crook	" Harold W Martin
" Oliver R Cummings	" Cecil K Maxwell
" Walter Russell Dolliver	" John A McFarland
" Walter E Duncan	" Ralph L Mears
" Edwin H Dyer	" James Millen
" Franklin M Erlenbach	" William A Ochiltree
" John Albert Fall	" David L Rand
" Max Herbert Fischer	" Elmer C Read
" Erik Hugo Franson	" W H T Read

Sir Daniel F Reid
" Oscar Riedel
" Frank E Roberts
" William H Sanger
" Dennie P Small
" Frederick H Smith
" George E Smith
" Melzer H Soule
" Milton E Stevenson
" Levi Wyman Steward
" John M Stratis
" Frank S Treco
" Stillman B Tuckerman
" L Curtis Turner
" Petrus Van Baarda
" Oliver H Viehl
" Frank L Warren
" Arthur D Weston
" Guy C Willis
" Robert G Wilson Jr
" Walter Leonard Wilson

Attendance

Members 282

Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, October 20, 1926.

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The records of the last Annual Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable report, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. George Emery Green
Comp. Frederick Barnes Honywill
Comp. Chester Hale Jordan
Comp. James Samuel Wesley Rogers
Comp. John Thomson Simpson
Comp. Walter Chase Samll
Comp. Joseph Burton Toy
Comp. Warren Marston Vinton

The following petitions were read.

Comp. Charles Frederick Guile
Residence 9 Mallett st W Somerville
Occupation Miller
Place of business Stickney & Poor Spice Co Somerville
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank P Spaulding & Samuel L Dillaway

Comp. Gilead William Kimberly
Residence 198 Somerset Ave Winthrop
Occupation Electrical Engineer
Place of business 8 Bowworth st Boston
Member of The Massachusetts Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & Joseph W Work

Comp. Joseph William Lord
Residence 21 Cushing Ave Boston
Occupation Clerk
Place of business 224 Summer st Boston

Member of St Pauls Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Fred C Mackintosh & Robert G Wilson

Comp. Robert James Serson
Residence 24 Mayberry Ate Medford
Occupation Foreman
Place of business 116 Merrimac st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Percy A. Brigham & John F Cook

Deaths

Sir Knight Preston B Chapin
Knighted May 16, 1883 Died Sept 23, 1926

Sir Knight Clifford F Crosby
Knighted May 19, 1920 Died Oct 9, 1926

Sir Knight Frederick E Skeetop
Knighted June 15, 1921 Died Oct 16, 1926

The following Sir Knights were reported ill.

Sir Knight Augustus F Howell
Sir Knight William W Brooks

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and opened on the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and the following Companions were introduced. The ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Comp. Walter Sydney Morgan
Comp. George Emery Green
Comp. Frederick Barnes Honywill
Comp. Chester Hale Jordan
Comp. James Samuel Wesley Rogers
Comp. John Thomson Simpson
Comp. Walter Chase Samll
Comp. Joseph Burton Toy
Comp. Warren Marston Dinton

Dinner

The Commander announced the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed not only the dinner, but an entertainment furnished under the direction of Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Present October 20, 1926.
Members 201 Candidates 9 Visitors 10 Total 220

Resumed business

The Commandery resumed business on the Ill Order of the Red Cross and the Commander ordered the Council closed and opened on the Order of the Temple.

Communications

The Recorder read the call for the meeting of the Grand Commandery to be held Tuesday, October 26th.

Past Grand Master of the Grand Encampment
of Knights Templars

In accordance with a vote passed at the last Conclave the following telegram was sent to Most Eminent Joseph K Orr, Past Grand Master of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of U. S. of America.

Sept. 18, 1926

Mr. Joseph K. Orr
Atlanta, Ga.,

Your Knightly Greetings were received with full measure of applause from your Commandery, and by a unanimous vote, I was directed to forward to you the thanks and best wishes for your good health and prosperity with the assurance that we are proud to have on our books as an Honorary member such a distinguished Sir Knight.

J. W. Work

Recorder

The following letter also sent.

Sept. 18, 1926

Mr. Joseph K Orr,
Atlanta, Ga.,
Dear Most Em Sir:-

I have the pleasure of wiring you today as follows:-

Your Knightly Greetings were received with full measure of applause from your Commandery, and by a unanimous vote I was directed to forward to you the thanks and best wishes for your good health and prosperity with the assurance that we are proud to have on our books as an Honorary member such a distinguished Sir Knight."

and now I confirm it.

The members were very much pleased to receive your Greetings, and they have never forgotten the pleasure you gave them when you made them an official visitation at the time that you were Grand Master of the

Grand Encampment of the United States. Your usual remarks on the card when you acknowledged the receipt of the notice helps to give us encouragement.

With kind personal regards,

I am

Courteously yours,

Joseph W Work,

Recorder

The answer to the above communication was received.

Sept. 20, 1926

Joseph W Work, Recorder,
Masonic Temple, Rm 204,
Boston, Mass.,
My dear Sir Joseph:-

Your telegram was a pleasant greeting and your more than kind letter a welcome message.

I will never live long enough to forget the kindly reception given a Georgia cracker forty-three years ago, who applied at the door of the Boston Commandery with no credentials but his face. The many contacts since that time make pleasant pages in the book of memories.

With assurance of high regards to my esteemed fraters, believe me,

Courteously yours,

Joseph K Orr

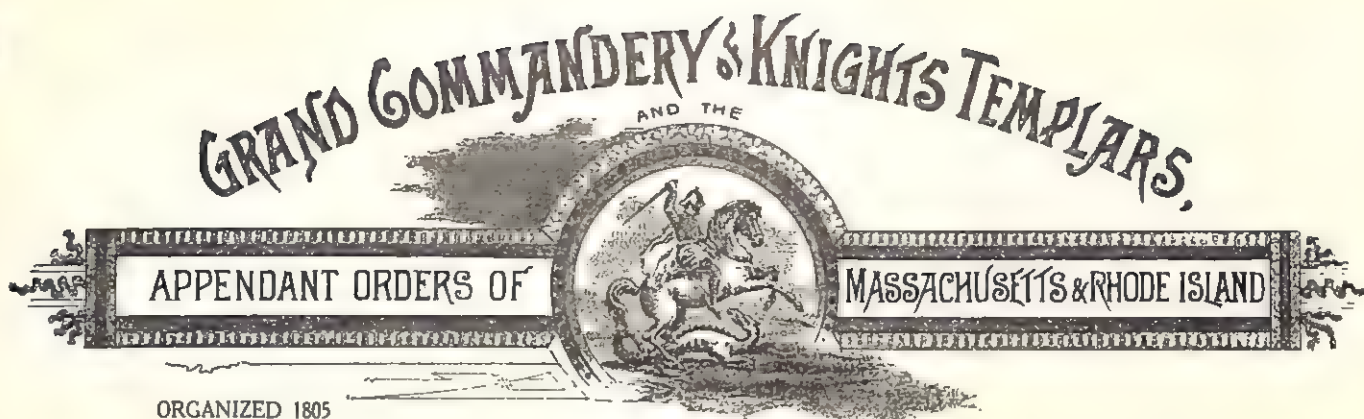
A letter was received from Mrs. Annie T. Montieth, sister of late Eminent Sir Walter Bradley Tripp donating his sword and belt and military coat to the Commandery.

The Recorder was directed to accept the same, thanking her for her thoughtfulness.

A note was received from Mrs. Henry S. Rickett of Dorchester, Mass., acknowledging flowers sent to Sir Knight Rickett who had been confined to his bed for some months.

Release of Jurisdiction

At the request of Bay State Commandery K T # 38, a release of



OFFICE OF THE GRAND COMMANDER,
TURNERS FALLS, MASS., October 29, 1926.

GENERAL ORDER NO. 1,
SERIES 1926-1927.

To all Knights Templars within the Jurisdiction of this Grand Commandery:

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Grand Officers attending the various functions, official or social, of the Grand Commandery, or subordinate Commanderies, shall appear in Full Templar regalia unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander.
2. The Inspection suite shall consist of the following: Officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, Past Grand Commanders, Commanders of Commanderies in this Jurisdiction, Generalissimos, Captain Generals and Past Commanders, together with Officers of other Grand Jurisdictions who may be in attendance and in regalia. All Officers shall be in Full Templar Uniform.
3. All Grand Commandery Officers, Past Grand Commanders, and Past Commanders are entitled, and are hereby cordially and courteously invited, to attend any and all Inspections.
4. Division Commanders shall have general supervision over all Commanderies in their charge, and shall report conditions at frequent intervals to the Grand Commander.
5. In perfecting the Ritualistic and Tactical work of the Commandery, General Officers will follow the instructions of the Inspector Instructor or his Deputy. Candidates shall possess full regalia, including coat, before being Knighted.
6. It is the desire of the Grand Commander and the Inspector Instructor that all Commanderies be opened in full form. The Inspecting Officer will, in a report to the Grand Commander at the end of the year, make note of the number of times each Commandery has complied with this request.
7. Commanderies must send to the Grand Commander, Deputy Grand Commander, Grand Generalissimo, Grand Captain General, Inspector Instructor, Deputy Inspector Instructor and Grand Recorder notices of all their Conclaves, also to each Division Commander the notices of Commanderies in their Division.
8. Commanders are directed to cause to be sent to this office immediate information of the death of any Past Commander or Officer of their respective Commanderies, together with such a sketch of his Masonic History as can be obtained.
9. Every Tactical Formation for every parade occasion must be in strict accordance with the official Tactics and formations of this Grand Commandery and under the direct instruction of the Inspector Instructor unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Commander.
10. All notices of Conclaves and meetings must be sent in sealed envelopes. A return post card may be used, but shall have no announcement whatever.
11. Commanders shall see that a suitable visitor's book is placed in the anteroom. All visitors to a Commandery must be required to register in proper form. When a visitor is not a Sir Knight of this Jurisdiction a letter from the Recorder must be sent to the Recorder of the Commandery of which he is a Sir Knight informing the Commandery that this Frater was present at the Conclave which he visited.

12. It is requested that each Commandery procure a light-weight parade banner to be used on all occasions outside of the Asylum.

13. This General Order shall be read in full at the head of the lines by the Eminent Commander in person at the Conclave next following its receipt.

Witness my hand and seal of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, this 29th day of October, A.D. 1926, A.O. 808.

Attest:

JAMES A. GUNN,
Grand Commander.



Wm. Powell
Grand Recorder.

GRAND COMMANDERY OF KNIGHTS TEMPLARS, AND THE

APPENDANT ORDERS OF

MASSACHUSETTS & RHODE ISLAND



ORGANIZED 1805

OFFICE OF THE GRAND RECORDER,
MASONIC TEMPLE, ROOM 206, BOSTON, MASS.,
October 27, 1926.

OFFICIAL CIRCULAR, No. 1,
SERIES OF 1926-1927.

The following-named officers of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars and the Appendant Orders of Massachusetts and Rhode Island were duly elected and installed to serve for the ensuing Templar year at the One Hundred and Twenty-first Annual Conclave, held in the city of Boston, Mass., October 26, A.D. 1926, A.O. 808:

JAMES A. GUNN	Grand Commander
NORRIS G. ABBOTT	Deputy Grand Commander
CLARENCE E. BURLEIGH	Grand Generalissimo
CHARLES F. WHITE	Grand Captain General
FREDERICK H. BRIGGS	Grand Senior Warden
BENJAMIN F. DOWNING	Grand Junior Warden
WILLIAM H. EMERSON	Grand Treasurer
BENJAMIN W. ROWELL	Grand Recorder
REV. FRANCIS W. GIBBS	Grand Prelate
GEORGE L. DODD	Grand Standard Bearer
WILLIAM S. HAMILTON	Grand Sword Bearer
HARRY E. HAMILTON	Grand Warden
CHARLES E. MARSHALL	Grand Captain of the Guards
CHARLES M. PEAR	Grand Sentinel

Division Commanders

E.: Sir RICHARD C. DE NORMANDIE
E.: Sir HAROLD W. SPRAGUE
E.: Sir MARTIN J. PLESCHINGER
E.: Sir HARRY P. McALLISTER

Inspector Instructor

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA

COMMITTEES

Fraternal Correspondence

E.: Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL

Jurisprudence and Laws

R.: E.: Sir DANA J. FLANDERS
R.: E.: Sir J. ALBERT BLAKE
R.: E.: Sir EDWIN A. BLODGETT

Committee on Credentials

E.: Sir ARTHUR F. JONES

E.: Sir CHARLES W. PIKE

E.: Sir AMBROSE B. WHITE

Committee on Finance

E.: Sir FREDERICK T. COMEE

E.: Sir BERT E. HOLLAND

E.: Sir GEORGE T. EVERETT

Committee on Charters, Dispensations and Jurisdictional Lines

R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON
R.: E.: Sir HENRY C. DEXTER

R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM W. JOHNSON
E.: Sir WILMOT L. MARDEN

E.: Sir FRANK E. KENNEY

Committee on By-Laws

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA

E.: Sir ALMON B. CILLEY

E.: Sir JULIUS C. WOODMAN

Committee on Necrology

E.: Sir FRANCIS W. GIBBS

E.: Sir CHARLES W. SCHULER

E.: Sir ALVIN F. PEASE

Trustees of the Educational Fund

E.: Sir FRANCIS W. GIBBS	1 year
E.: Sir ETHELBERT GRABILL	2 years
E.: Sir THEODORE LOCKWOOD	3 years
E.: Sir HENRY H. HARRIS	4 years
E.: Sir ARTHUR S. VAUGHN	5 years

Committee on Revision of Constitution

V.: E.: Sir NORRIS G. ABBOTT, *Chairman*

R.: E.: Sir FREDERICK I. DANA

R.: E.: Sir WILLIAM H. EMERSON

R.: E.: Sir HARRY G. POLLARD

E.: Sir BENJAMIN W. ROWELL

Work of the Year

GAINS

Knighted	893
Affiliated	26
Restored	7
Total Gains	926

LOSSES

Demitted	221
Suspended	208
Expelled	0
Died	465
Total Losses	894

Making a net gain for the year of 32.

Total membership, September 30, 1926, of 26,563.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of this Grand Commandery the day and year above written.

The Semi-Annual Conclave will be held in the city of Providence, R. I., in May, 1927, A.O. 809.



Am Powell.
Grand Recorder.

jurisdiction was granted over Phillip Boothy Young, 371 Pleasant st., Brockton, Mass, formerly of 231 Audubon Rd., Boston.

One Hundred and Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the
Organization of Boston Commandery.

Voted; that the Commandery celebrate the One Hundred and Twenty Fifth Anniversary of the Organization of Boston Commandery in March 1927, giving the Council full powers to make all arrangements,

A telegram was received from Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs from Philadelphia, Penn.

Total 220

Visitors

The Commandery was favored with the following visitors.

Em Sir Clarence E Burleigh, Grand Captain General of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Em Sir George I Lawley, Commander of Demolay Commandery.

Sir Knight Stewart A Colpitts, Captain General of De Molay Commandery.

Candidates 9

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and opened on the Ill Order of the Red Cross, and the ceremonies were completed under the direction of Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Order of Malta

The Council of the Ill Order of the Red Cross having finished its business, it was closed and a priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named candidates were introduced and the Order was communicated to them under the direction of Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Visitors 10

Order of the Temple

The priory having concluded its ceremonies, the Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple,

Members 201

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed without Form at 9:55 P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
Recorder

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday November 17, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected. to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Charles Frederick Guile

Comp. John Hovsepian

Comp. Joseph William Lord

Comp. Robert James Serson

Comp. George Charles Tanner

The following petitions were read

Comp. Harry Thomas Chace

Residence 69 Stockton st Dorchester

Occupation Lieutenant of police

Place of business Division 14 Brighton District

Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights John M Anderson & Harold W Martin

Comp. Harry Harrison Little

Residence 1607 Com'lth Ave Brighton

Occupation Traveling salesman

Place of business 1607 Com'lth Ave Brighton

Member of Beth-horen Lodge, Brookline, & St Andrews R A Chapter, Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights D Henry Childs & Harold W Martin

Comp. Theodore Loring Maybury

Residence 28 Chestnut st Belmont

Occupation Watchmaker

Place of business Waltham Watch Co Waltham

Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont

Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Wood & Albert B Hall

For Membership

Sir Knight Walter James Sugden,
Residence 88 Hemman St Roslindale
Occupation Engineer
Place of business 126 Worcester st Boston
Member of Mt Vernon Lodge & Malden R A Chapter, Beauseant Commandery
of Malden
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Joseph W Work

Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell
Residence 33 Pinkney st Boston
Occupation Insurance
Place of business 40 Broad at Boston
Member of Blue Hill Lodge Canton, Mt Zion R A Chapter, Stoughton and
Cyprus Commandery K T # 39 Hyde Park Mass
Recommended by Sir Knights William P Bullard & Joseph W Work

Letters

Letters were received from the following in appreciation for
flowers sent.

Mrs. Ethel Taylor Whittemore
Mrs. Laura M Rickett
Mrs. Mabel F Harris

A letter was received from Miss Mary E Barnes of San Francisco,
Cal. notifying the Commandery of the death of Sir Knight Charles Henry
Barnes which occurred May 9th, 1926.

General Order #1

The Commander read General Order # 1 from the Grand Commander
Rt Em Sir James A Gunn.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Isaac Harris
Knighted May 16, 1877 Died November 4, 1926

Sir Knight Henry S Rickett
Knighted August 16, 1904 Died November 9, 1926

Sir Knight Charles Henry Barnes
Knighted March 21, 1877 Died May 9, 1926

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order
of Malta having been opened

The Generalissimo and Captain General communicated in short form
the Order of the Red Cross and Malta to
Comp. John Hovestain

Comp. George Charles Tanner

Order of the Temple

The following Knights having received the Ill Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them in Full Form.

Knight George Emery Green .
Knight Frederick Barnes Honywell .
Knight Chester Hale Jordan .
Knight James Samuel Wesley Rogers .
Knight John Tomson Simpson .
Knight Walter Chase Small .
Knight Joseph Benton Toy-
Knight Warren Marston Vinton .
Knight Walter Sydney Morgan
Knight John Hoosepian.
Knight George Charles Tanner

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the Banquet Hall where they enjoyed after the feast an entertainment provided by Sir William P Bullard, Captain General.

Work

The Commandery was opened on the Order of the Temple and the Commander received Eminent Sir James Morehead Jr, Commander of Quincy Commandery, and he was introduced to the Commandery.

The Commander also introduced to the Commandery Sir Knight Rev Raymond Lang, Associate Prelate of the Commandery.

The Commander also announced the serious illness of Sir Knight Florian J Anshelm, and F. Gordon Smith of East Braintree.

Reception

The Commander appointed a Committee comprising all the Past Commanders present under the direction of the Generalissimo to wait upon Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templars of Massachusetts & Rhode Island to present him and the Commander to present to the Commandery. He having been elected to the high office at the last meeting of the Grand Commandery.

Eminent Sir Briggs responded in his happy manner, both as to the courteous and hearty welcome he received from the Commandery and also as to the spirit of his Commandery which after his visits to other Commanderies he finds second to none.

One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Anniversary of
Boston Commandery K T

Eninent Sir Briggs spoke in regard to the preparation for the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Anniversary, and solicited the cooperation of every Sir Knight to make it a success.

He suggested that every member present make it a point to bring in one new member which event would assure the Anniversary to be one of which every Sir Knight would be proud of.

Drill

The Captain of the Guard, Sir Knight Arthur N Hale, gave a special drill of the Guards which was appreciated by every Sir Knight present.

Order of the Temple

The work of the Order of the Temple was resumed and the above named Knights were instructed in the remaining ceremonies.

Closing

There being no fuether bussness the Commandery was closed without Form at 11:20 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph H. C. Work
Recorder

Attendance

Members 250
Visitors 10
Candidates 11

Total 271

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Boston, Mass.

Wednesday December 15, 1926

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock P. M. with the full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Harry Thomas Grace

Comp. Harry Harrison Little

Comp. Theodore Loring Maybury

For Membership

The Committee s upon the following Sir Knights for membership in Boston Commandery having made favorable report, they were elected as members.

Sir Knight Walter James Sugden

Sir Knight Arthur L Tirrell

Applications

The following applications were read.

Comp. Arnold Noble Allen

Residence 22 Conway st Roslindale

Occupation Physician

Place of business 754 A South st Roslindale

Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale

Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Clayton L Havey

Comp. Charles Temple Allen Jr
Residence 63 Beech st W Roxbury
Occupation Division Mgr
Place of business 46 Clinton st Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Clayton L Havey

Comp. Fred Bailey
Residence Waltham st Lexington R F D 2
Occupation Master Printer
Place of business 32 Hawley st Boston
Member of Simon W Robinson Lodge Lexington & Menotomy R A Chapter Arl
Recommended by Sir Knights George N Baker & Eugene W Rollins (if release is granted)

Comp. Orin Augustus Bainard Jr
Residence 3 Hagar st Jamaica Plain
Occupation Salesman
Place of business Eastern Drug Co 14 Fulton st Boston
Member of Eliot Lodge Roxbury & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry O Schreiber & Joseph W Work

Comp. Paul Beigbeder
Residence 6 Malverna Rd Roslindale
Occupation Builder
Place of business 6 Malverna Rd Roslindale
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & John A Havey

Comp. John Chellman
Residence 100 Kittredge st Roslindale
Occupation Tailor
Place of business 12 Beacon st Boston
Member of W Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Lewis S Breed & John A Johnson

Comp. Walter Charles Downs
Residence 732 Broadway W Somerville
Occupation Construction Work
Place of business 80 Boylston st L P Soule & Son Co Boston
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Malcolm Downs & Lawrence S Carr

Comp. Frank Emil Frykstrand
Residence 96 Littredge st Roslindale
Occupation Treasurer
Place of business 797 Washington st Newtonville
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Clayton L Havey

Comp. William Harold Gilderson
Residence 73 Gourley Rd Medford
Occupation Industrial Engineer
Place of business 584 Com'lth Ave Boston
Member of Sagamore Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry F Weir & Joseph W Work

Comp. Robert J Haerberle
Residence 175 Poplar st Roslindale
Occupation Superintendent
Place of business 128 Cross st Boston
Member of Iris Lodge # 229, Ohio, & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry Haerberle & Joseph W Work

Comp. Lionel Cyrus Hartford
Residence 22 Kilgore Ave W Medford
Occupation Realtor
Place of business 308 Boylston st Boston
Member of Sagamore Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles B Sanborn & Winfield L Nourse

Comp. Edward Payson Higgins
Residence 161 Temple st W Roxbury
Occupation Commercial Broker
Place of business 46 Clinton st Boston
Member of W Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights John A Johnson & Clayton L Havey

Comp. Leon Lionel Hopkins
Residence 44 Lewis Rd Belmont
Occupation Sales Supervision Mgr
Place of business 164 Broadway Cambridge
Member of Belmont Lodge & Belmont R A Chapter Belmont
Recommended by Sir Knights Alexander Bender & Henry B Wiegner

Comp. Eldridge Hinckley Lloyd
Residence 1988 Com'lth Ave Boston suite 8
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 31 St James Ave Boston
Member of Peter Williamson Lodge #323 Penn, & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie F Small & Leslie C Small

Comp. Charles John Malnate
Residence 18 Mt Auburn st Cambridge
Occupation Traveling salesman
Place of business 221 State st Boston(H A Johnson Co)
Member of Charity Lodge & Cambridge R A Chapter Cambridge
Recommended by Sir Knights Chester F Soule & Joseph W Work

Comp. Fred Miller
Residence 220 Dorset Rd Waban
Occupation Coal salesman (wholesale)
Place of business 131 State st Boston
Member of John Abbot Lodge Somerville & Newton R A Chapter Newton
Recommended by Sir Knights Lewis F Miller & Joseph W Work(If release is granted)

Comp. Earl Charles Palmer
Residence 316 Huntington Ave Boston
Occupation Chemical Engineer
Place of business Apartado 251 Monterrey Nuevo Leon Mexico
Member of Richard C MacLaurin Lodge of Cambridge & North Hudson R A Chapter #59 West New York N J
Recommended by Sir Frank O Clark & Sir Knight Harold W Martin

Comp. John Curtis Pitcher
Residence Dudley Lane Milton
Occupation General Contractor
Place of business 46 Cornhill Boston
Member of Crescent Lodge Pittsfield & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights Herbert W Goodwin & Joseph W Work

Comp. Henry Rollo Sewell
Residence 46 Southbourne Rd Jamaica Plain
Occupation Department Mgr
Place of business B F Sturtevant Co Hyde Park
Member of Macedonian Lodge Milton & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester
Recommended by Sir Knights William M Call & Edwin H Dyer

Comp. Otis Elmer Stephenson
Residence 50 Parker st Newton Ctr
Occupation Salesman
Place of business Pettingell Andrews Co Stuart st Boston
Member of Columbian Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Milton E Stephenson & Joseph W Work(if release is granted)

Comp. Harry Cornell Towne
Residence 19 West Border Rd W Roxbury
Occupation Furniture salesman
Place of business 34 Summer st Boston
Member of W Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Lewis S Breed & John A Johnson

Comp. Ole Larsen Urdahl
Residence Greendale Ave Needham
Occupation Painter contractor
Place of business Greendale Ave Needham
Member of W Roxbury Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Warren F Freeman Jr & Emdon B Cornwell

Comp. Donald Elbra Walch
Residence 1715 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business General Electric Co 84 State st Boston
Member of What-cheer Lodge & Providence R A Chapter Providence R I
Recommended by Sir Knights Harry W Brown & Oliver F Brastow

Comp. George Clifton Watts
Residence 88 Church st W Roxbury
Occupation General Manager
Place of business 40 Court st Boston
Member of Winslow Lewis Lodge Boston & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Lewis S Breed & John A Johnson

Comp. Eugene Leavitt Wyman
Residence 18 Park Vale Ave Allston
Occupation Sole leather merchant
Place of business 176 South st Boston
Member of Sagadahew Lodge Haverhill & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Leslie C Small

Letters

Letters were received from the following persons thanking the Commandery for flowers received.

Mrs. Grace J Henderson
Mrs. Helen F Maybury
Mrs. Georgianna B Sands

Communication from Winthrop Commandery #53 Winthrop, Mass.

Announcing the receipt of the request of Boston Commandery for the release of jurisdiction over Companion Gilead William Kimberly, and the same was referred to a Committee to be reported upon January 4th, 1927.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Charles C F Henderson
Knighted February 6, 1910
Died November 27, 1926

Sir Knight Martin W Sands
Knighted July 30, 1895
Died December 9, 1926

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commander closed the Commandery on the Order of the Temple and opened it on the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo, and the Order was conferred upon the following Companions.

Comp. Harry Thomas Grace
Comp. Harry Harrison Little
Comp. Charles Frederick Guile
Comp. Joseph William Lord
Comp. Robert James Serson

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was served and the officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall and enjoyed the feast which was prepared together with the entertainment under the direction of Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery resumed the exercises of the Order of the Red Cross and finished the ceremonies on all of the candidates.

Order of Malta

The business of the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been finished a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the Order was conferred upon the above named Companions under the direction of Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Closing

The business of the Priory having been finished the Commandery was closed without Form at 9:50 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wors

Recorder

Applications for the Orders(continued)

Comp. Emil William Karl Zepp
Residence 177 Metropolitan Ave Roslindale
Occupation Electrical Instructor
Place of business Luceum Hall City of Boston Schools
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Wilbert Soule & William F Damen

Attendance

Members 227
Visitors 8
Candidates 6

Total 241

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday, January 19, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4 o'clock P. M. with a full line of officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports, upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Arnola Noble Allen
Comp. Charles Temple Allen Jr
Comp. Orin Augustus Brainerd Jr
Comp. Paul Beigbender
Comp. John Chellman
Comp. Walter Charles Downs
Comp. Frank Emil Frykstrand
Comp. William Harold Gilderson
Comp. Robert J Haeberle
Comp. Lionel Cryus Hartford
Comp. Edward Payson Higgins
Comp. Leon Lionel Hopkins
Comp. Charles John Malnate
Comp. Fred Miller
Comp. Earl Charles Palmer
Comp. John Curtis Pitcher
Comp. Henry Rollo Sewell
Comp. Otis Elmer Stephenson
Comp. Harry Cornwell Towne
Comp. Ole Larsen Urdahl
Comp. Donald Elbra Walch
Comp. George Clifton Watts
Comp. Eugene Leavitt Wyman
Comp. Emil William Karl Zepp

Petitions

The following petitions were read.

Comp. John Arvid Berggren
Residence 20 Huntington Ave Roslindale
Occupation Master Painter
Place of business 127 West Brookline st Boston

Member of Lafayette Lodge Roxbury & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Lars A Svensson & John A Johnson

Comp. Francis Edward Curley
Residence 150 West Newton st Boston
Occupation Carpenter
Place of business 150 West Newton st Boston
Member of St Marks #35 Nova Scotia & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank S Treco & William L Aldrich

Comp. Walter Henry Fisk
Residence 369 Harvard st Cambridge
Occupation Office Mgr Masury Young Co
Place of business 76 Roland st Charlestown
Member of Amicable Lodge Cambridge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold M Sawyer & Joseph W Work

Comp. William Gruhn
Residence 58 Ainaworth st Roslindale
Occupation salesman
Place of business 14 India Sq Boston
Member of Prospect Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Clayton L Havey & Lewis S Breed

Comp. Vail Kellen Haak
Residence 306 Hyde Park Ave Jamaica Plain
Occupation Clerk
Place of business Boston Globe Washington st Boston
Member of Hyde Park Lodge & Roslindale R A Chapter Roslindale
Recommended by Sir Knights Leon Lewis Aznive & William A Watson

Comp. George McFarland Hamilton
Residence 73 Newburg st Roslindale
Occupation Trucking
Place of business 129 Medford st Malden
Member of Mt Olivet Lodge of Cambridge & Roslindale R A Chapter
Recommended by Sir Knights Charles L Hamilton & Samuel M Best

Comp. Gilbert Henry Hood Jr
Residence 2 Benton Rd Somerville
Occupation Dairy Experts
Place of business 494 Rutherford Ave Boston
Member of St Marks Lodge # 44 & Bell R A Chapter #25 New Hampshire
Recommended by Sir Knights Reginald G Sykes & William P Bullard

Comp. James Arthur Savage
Residence 7 Kenwood st W Somerville
Occupation Interior Decorator
Place of business 248 Boylston st Boston
Member of Somerville Lodge & Somerville R A Chapter Somerville
Recommended by Sir Knights Frank P Spaulding & J William Fielding

Comp. Charles Abbott Smith
Residence 74 Myrtle st Melrose
Occupation Mfg
Place of business 40 Grove st Melrose
Member of Indiana Harbor Lodge # 686 Indiana, & St Pauls R A Chapter
Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights N F Bechtel & George S Grow

Jurisdiction refused

Winthrop Commandery # 53 K. T. refused release of jurisdiction over Companion Gilead William Kimberly.

Letters

Letters were received from the following persons thanking the Commandery for donation of flowers.

Sir Knight Andrew S Wentworth

Sir Knight F Gordon Smith

Mrs. Charles O Lawton

Mrs. Emma C. Cadwell

Mrs. Anna M Brock for the family of Wallace D Merrow.

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Jerome F Cadwell

Knighted February 17, 1897

Died December 17, 1926

Sir Knight Thomas F G Day

Knighted June 15, 1921

Died December 28, 1926

Sir Knight Charles O Lawton

Knighted March 15, 1922

Died January 1, 1927

Sir Knight Wallace D Merrow

Knighted June 20, 1906

Died January 11, 1927

Sir Knight Levi L Rowe

Knighted February 17, 1897

Died December 31, 1926

Sir Knight Duane White

Knighted June 16, 1920

Died January 1, 1927

The Estate of John H Collamore

The following vote ~~was~~ unanimously adopted:

"WHEREAS this Masonic organization has an interest as legatee under the will of John H Collamore, late of Boston, and in common with other Masonic legatees similarly situated desires to facilitate the settlement of said estate; and

WHEREAS as a matter of convenience in management and of transfer and sale, it is important that the legal title to the estate now held by the Trustees under the will of said John H Collamore and which (or the proceeds of which) may at some time become the property of said Masonic bodies remains in a single entity rather than in tenants in common until such time as the property can advantageously be reduced to money and distributed; and

WHEREAS a trust under the name of Collamore Masonic Trust is to be established for the purpose of holding legal title to and/ or of managing the interests of the Masonic bodies, legatees under said will and parties to said Collamore Masonic Trust; and

WHEREAS the Declaration of Trust establishing said Collamore Masonic Trust has been read at this meeting;

NOW IT IS VOTED:

First, that said Declaration of Trust be and the same is hereby approved;

Second, that the Treasurer be authorized and directed in the name and on behalf of Boston Commandery to execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver said Declaration of Trust;

Third, that the Recorder be authorized and directed to furnish to the Trustee under said Declaration of Trust an attested copy of this vote.

Work Order of the Temple

The following Knights of Malta were received and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them.

Knight Charles Frederick Guile
Knight Joseph William Lord
Knight Robert James Serson
Knight Harry Thomas Grace
Knight Harry Harrison Little

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests formed the lines and marched to the banquet hall where after partaking of the usual feast were entertained under the direction of Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 8:30 o'clock P. M. and the Officers resumed the ceremonies of conferring the Order of the Temple upon the above named Knights of Malta.

Visitors

The Commander introduced to the Commandery Eminent Sir Charles F White, Grand Captain General of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island who made a short address to the Commandery which was received with a hearty applause from the Sir Knights. He also

He also introduced Em Sir Henry H Sullivan, Past Commander of the Cambridge Commandery.

St Albans Commandery #8 Portland, Maine

The following officers of St Albans Commandery, Portland, Maine, togetherwith sixteen guards of that Commandery were presented to the Commander and thru him to the Commandery and they were given the usual Boston Commandery welcome.

Em Commander John P Ayer
Generalissimo Sir Knight C Omer Porter
Captain General Sir General Leon F Cummings
Prelate Harold B Chase
Recorder Sir Knight Arthur J Floyd
Acting Treasurer Sir H. B. Eastman
Senior Warden Sir Knight Howard Moses
Junior Warden Arthur T Spring

The above named officers and guards with Em Sir Charles F White, Grand Captain General, assisted in the ceremonies.

Closing

The business of conferring the Order of the Temple having been concluded, the Sir Knights were ordered to the Recorder's desk to sign the By Laws and become members of Boston Commandery, after which the Commandery was closed without form at 10:45 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work
Recorder

Attendance

Candidates
Visitors
Members

5
58
253

Total 316

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Wednesday February 16, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. John Arvid Berggren
Comp. Francis Edward Curley
Comp. Walter Henry Fisk
Comp. William Gruhn
Comp. Vail Kellen Haak
Comp. George McFarland Hamilton
Comp. Gilbert Henry Hood Jr
Comp. James Arthur Savage

Deaths

The Commander announced the notification of the death of Sir Knight Charles G MacLeod Knighted June 19, 1912, Died January 1927

Letter

A letter was received from Sir Knight Albert B Hall, Quartermaster, thanking the Commandery for flowers sent to him during his slight illness.

Illustrious Order of the
Red Cross

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross was opened, and the following Companions were introduced, and the ceremonies were conducted under the direction of Sir Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Comp. Arnold Allen
 Comp. Charles Temple Allen Jr
 Comp. Orin Augustus Bainard Jr
 Comp. Paul Beigbeder
 Comp. John Chillman - *Chillman*
 Comp. Walter Charles Downs
 Comp. Frank Emil Frykstrand
 Comp. William Harold Gilderson
 Comp. Robert J Haeberle
 Comp. Lionel Cyrus Hartford
 Comp. Edward Payson Higgins
 Comp. Leon Linoel Hopkins
 Comp. Charles John Malnate

 Comp. Fred Miller
 Comp. John Curtis Pitcher
 Comp. Henry Rollo Sewell
 Comp. Otis Elmer Stephenson
 Comp. Harry Cornell Towne
 Comp. Ole Larsen Urdahl
 Comp. Donald Elbra Walch
 Comp. George Clifton Watts
 Comp. Eugene Leavitt Wyman
 Comp. Emil William Karl Zepp
 Comp. John Arvid Berggren
 Comp. Francis Edward Curley
 Comp. William Gruhn
 Comp. Vail Kellen Haak

 Comp. George MaFarland Hamilton
 Comp. Gilbert Henry Hood Jr
 Comp. James Arthur Savage

Order of Malta

The business of the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been finished, the Council was closed, and a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named Companions were introduced, and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Dinner

The Eminent Commander announced that the usual dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and Guests marched to the banquet hall and enjoyed not only the feast that was prepared but an entertainment under the direction of Sir Knight William P. Bullard, Captain General.

Order of Malta

The ceremonies connected with the Order of Malta were resumed at 8 o'clock P. M.

Visitor

The Commandery was favored by the presence of Em Commander Harry L

Wiggin, Commander of St Bernard Commandery, Boston, Mass.

Closing

The business of the Priory of the Order of Malta having been finished, the Commandery was closed without Form at 9 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph H. Work

Recorder

Attendance

Members 255
Visitors 7
Candidates 30

Total 292

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.

Monday March 7, 1927

Special Conclave

A Special Conclave of Boston Commandery of Knights Templars was held in Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Monday, March 7, 1927.

The Commandery was opened at 6:30 o'clock P. M. and the following Knights of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was communicated to them in Full Form and Ceremony.

Comp. Arnold Noble Allen
Comp. Charles Temple Allen Jr
Comp. Orin Augustus Barnard Jr
Comp. Paul Beigbeder
Comp. John Chellman
Comp. Frank Emil Frykstrand
Comp. William Harold Gilderson
Comp. Walter Charles Downs
Comp. Robert J Haerberle
Comp. Lionel Cyrus Hartford
Comp. Edward Payson Higgins
Comp. Leon Lionel Hopkins
Comp. Charles John Malnate
Comp. Fred Miller
Comp. John Curtis Pitcher
Comp. Henry Rollo Sewell
Comp. Otis Elmer Stephenson
Comp. Harry Cornwell Towhe
Comp. Ole Larsen Urdahl
Comp. Donald Elbra Walch
Comp. George Clifton Watts
Comp. Eugene Leavitt Wyman
Comp. Emil William Karl Zepp
Comp. John Avid Berggren
Comp. Francis Edward Curley
Comp. William Gruhn
Comp. Vail Kellen Haak
Comp. George McFarland Hamilton
Comp. Gilbert Henry Hood Jr
Comp. James Arthur Savage

Closing

This being a Special Conclave no other business was in order,
and the Commandery was closed without form at 10:30 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Wark
Recorder

Attendance

Members	111
Visitors	5
Candidates	30

Total	146
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Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple. Boston, Mass.

Wednesday March 16, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Full Form at 3:30 o'clock P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The Records of the Stated Conclave of February 16, 1927, and the Special Conclave of March 7th, 1927, were read and approved.

Work Order of the Temple

The Order of the Temple was communicated to Knight Otis Elmer Stephenson in Full Form and Ceremony.

Dinner

The Commander called the Sir Knights from labor to refreshments at 5:45. P. M.

Work resumed

The Commander resumed business on the Order of the Temple at 7:30 o'clock P. M.

Reception of Inspecting Officers

The Deputy Grand Warder, Em Sir Charles W Howard announced that the Inspecting Officer, Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs, Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Commandery of Massachusetts & Rhode Island, Commander of the First Division, was in waiting to make his official visit to Boston Commandery.

The Em Commander in response to the announcement assured the Deputy Grand Warder that a Committee would be appointed to wait upon the Inspecting officer and introduce him and his suite.

Committee

The Commander appointed all of the Past Commanders present together with the Generalissimo, Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, as chairman with the proper escort to repair to the ante room, and present and introduce the Inspecting officer and his suite.

The Committee retired and escorted the Inspecting officer, introducing him to the Commander and he to the Commandery.

Em Sir Briggs then introduced his suite to the Em Commander, and they were invited to take seats in the East.

The Commander then gave up his chair in the East to the Inspecting Officer and the routine work was then carried out.

After inspecting the charter, records, By-Laws the Inspecting officer gave up the chair to the Commander, and the work of the Order of the Temple was communicated to the candidates.

At the conclusion of the work Em Sir Briggs commented upon the excellency of the rendition of the Ritual, and then referred the matter of Marking to the Deputy Inspector Instructor, Em Sir Adelbert E. Place, of the Calvary Commandery, Providence, R. I. who complimented the officers on the excellent manner in which they had performed the work, and with some very pleasant and interesting remarks announced that the mark would be nine plus.

The count was as follows.

Members in uniform	373
Visitors exclusive of suite	22
Official suite	72

making a total of 467

The following Em Sir Knights were called upon and made some very complimentary remarks in regard to the work of the evening.

Em Sir Clarence E Burleigh	Grand Generalissime
Em Sir George L Dodd	Grand Standard Bearer

Inspecting Officers remarks

Em Sir Frederick H. Briggs spoke about the Educational Fund and also in regard to the Triennial Conclave in Detroit for 1928, and congratulated the Commander and Officers for the excellent work that they had rendered during the evening.

Closing

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Due Form at 9:25 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Woon

Recorder

List of Applications received

Comp. Fred Bailey

Residence Waltham st Lexington R F D # 2

Occupation Master Printer

Place of business 32 Hawley st Boston

Member of Simon W Robinson Lodge of Lexington & Menotomy R A Chapter
Arlington

Recommended by Sir Knights George N Baker & Eugene W Rollins

Comp. William Charles Collins Jr

Residence 10 Parkway Rd Stoneham

Occupation Service Manager

Place of business 1265 Boylston st Boston

Member of Palestine Lodge of Everett & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight William C Bragg & Em Sir Frank O Clark

If release is granted

Comp. Joseph Randolph Coolidge 3d

Residence 81 Fairmount st Brookline

Occupation Lumber Mfg & Forrester

Place of business 80 State st Boston

Member of Joseph Warren Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights L Curtis Turner & Joseph W Work

Comp. Orrin James Crommett

Residence 3 Spruce st Boston

Occupation Insurance

Place of business 142 Berkley st Boston

Member of Star of Bethlehem Lodge, Chelsea, & St Andrews R A Chapter
Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Carl W Johnson & Walter E Duncan

Comp. George Peirce Doncaster

Residence 557 Massachusetts Ave Boston

Occupation Contractor & builder

Place of business 557 Mass Ave Boston

Member of Eliot Lodge, Jamaica Plain & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Frank E Shepard & Charles L Carpenter

Comp. Rowland Sloan Hill

Residence 14 Perry st Cambridge

Occupation Insurance accountant

Place of business 142 Berkley st Boston

Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Carl W Johnson & Walter E Duncan

Comp. Robert L Hosmer

Residence 111 Audubon Rd Boston

Occupation Treasurer Eastern Theatrical Enterprise

Place of business 49 Church st Boston

Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Frank P Garfield & Em Sir Jesse E Ames

Comp. Elmer Hunt

Residence 820 Mass Ave Cambridge

Occupation Manager Radio Store

Place of business 802 Mass Ave Cambridge

Member of St Andrews Lodge #56 & Washington R A Chapter # 3 N. H.

Recommended by Sir Knights Francis W Breed Jr & Jean H Stowell

Comp. Hazen Goodwin Keith

Residence 1504 Com'lth Ave Boston

Occupation salesman

Place of business 1265 Boylston st Boston

Member of Zetland Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Oscar W Waterhouse & William C Bragg

Clarence Noel Langleis

Residence 316 Huntington Ave Boston

Occupation Musician

Place of business Scollay Sq Olympia Theater

Member of Euclid Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Chester A Brigham & Joseph W Work

Comp. Carl Francis Lawton

Residence 211 Mason Terr Brookline

Occupation Treas Harris & Lawton Inc

Place of business 378 Washington st Boston

Member of Mt Lebanon Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knight Harry D Kirkland & Em Sir Frederick H Briggs

Comp. Gordon Presbury Luther

Residence 15 Ashmont st Dorchester

Occupation Bank Teller

Place of business Dorchester Savings Bank Dorchester

Member of Rabboni Lodge & Dorchester R A Chapter Dorchester

Recommended by Sir Knights Hans H M Borghardt & Joseph W Work

Comp. Burton Nelson MacPherson

Residence Danbury, Conn. R F D # 1

Occupation Chief Stewart 8-8 American Legion

Place of business 8-8 American Legion

Member of Mt Hermon Lodge & Mystic R A Chapter Medford

Recommended by Sir Knights Edward E Papkee & Francis W Breed Jr

If release is granted.

Comp. Alfred Leo Metivier

Residence 16 Locke st Arlington

Occupation Salesman

Place of business 25 Huntington Ave Boston

Member of CharityLodge Cambridge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Sir Knights Harry D Kirkland & Wm Ochiltree

Comp. Leonard Howell Torrey

Residence Hotel Hemenway 91 Westland Ave Boston

Occupation Hotel Manager

Place of business Hotel Hemenway 91 Westland Ave Boston

Member of St Johns Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston

Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight John W Knowles

For Membership

Sir Knight William Oliver Craig
Residence 29 Wellington st Arlington
Occupation Solicitor R G Dunn & Co Boston
Place of business 100 Summer st Boston
Member of Russell Lodge & Menotomy R A Chapter Arlington & Mary
Commandery #36 Philadelphia, Penn.
Recommended by Sir Knights Henry W Wright & Joseph W Work

Sir Knight Myron C Hamer
Residence 352 Arlington st Watertown
Occupation Teacher
Place of business Senior High School Common st Watertown
Member of Mt Kineo Lodge #109 Guilford, Maine., and Dirige R A
Chapter #39 Cherryfield, Maine,
Member of St Elme Commandery K T # 18 Machias, Maine.
Recommended by Sir Knights Florian J Anshelm & Joseph W Work

Asylum of
Boston Commandery K T
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Wedneaday, April 20, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 5 o'clock
P. M. with a full line of Officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following applications for the Orders
having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected
to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Fred Bailey
Comp. Joseph Randolph Coolidge 3d
Comp. Orrin James Crommett
Comp. George Perce Doncaster
Comp. Roland Sloan Hill
Comp. Robert Lowry Hosmer
Comp. George Elmer Hunt
Comp. Hazen Goodwin Keith
Comp. Clarence Noel Langlois
Comp. Carl Francis Lawton
Comp. Gordon Presbrey Luther
Comp. Burton Nelson MacPherson
Comp. Alfred Leo Metivier
Comp. Leonard Howell Torrey

For Membership

Sir Knight William Oliver Craig
Sir Knight Myron C Hammer

Nominating Committee

April 18, 1927

To the Eminent Commander, Officers and Sir Knights of Boston
Commandery K T
Greetings;-

The Committee appointed to fill the vacancy in the
Board of the Permanent Fund and the Charity Fund caused by the death
of Em Sir Eugene A Holton make the following recommendations.

For Trustee to fill the unexpired term of Trustee of the Permanent Fund Eminent Sir Jesse E Ames.

For Trustee to fill the unexpired term of Trustee of the Charity Fund Em Sir Jesse E Ames.

Courteously submitted

Joseph T Paul, chairman
Charles L Hamilton
William P Bullard

VOTED; To accept the report of the Nominating Committee and to request the Recorder to cast one vote for Eminent Sir Ames as Trustee of the Permanent and Charity Fund of Boston Commandery.

The Recorder having performed his duty by casting said vote, the Commander declared that Em Sir Jesse E Ames was duly elected.

Resolutions to DeMolay Commandery

The following resolution was unanimously adopted.

Whereas on March 12, 1927, De Molay Commandery of Knights Templars presented to Boston Commandery a beautiful loving cup as a testimonial of love and affection to their mother Commandery on this her 125 Anniversary.

It is hereby resolved that Boston Commandery Knights Templars present their warmest thanks and appreciation to De Molay Commandery for the expressions of good will expressed at that time and also for the beautiful loving cup then presented which will be preserved as a perpetual memorial of the love and affection that exists between the two Commanderies.

Given this 20th day of April, 1927.

Frank O. Clark,
Commander
Charles L Hamilton
Generalissimo
William P Bullard
Captain General

Attest:

Joseph W Work
Recorder

DEATHS

The Commander announced the following deaths reported since our last Conclave.

Em Sir Eugene A Holton

Knighted June 18, 1873

Died March 21, 1927

Sir Knight Dwight Prouty

Knighted April 18, 1866

Died February 22, 1927

Letters

Letters were received from the following acknowledging the receipt of flowers.

Mrs. E. A. Holton and the family of Dwight Prouty.

Dinner

The Commander announced that the regular dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and guests marched to the banquet hall where they enjoyed the repast and entertainment afterwards furnished under the direction of Sir Knight William P. Bullard, Captain General.

Illustrious Order of the Red Cross

The Commandery resumed business and the Commander announced that the Order of the Temple be closed and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross be opened. The ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo, and the Order was communicated to the following companions.

Comp. Fred Bailey

Comp. Joseph Ramdolph Coolidge 3d

Comp. Orrin James Crommett

Comp. George Perce Doncaster

Comp. Roland Sloan Hill

Comp. Robert L Hosmer

Comp. George Elmer Hunt

Comp. Hazen Goodwin Keith

Comp. Clarence Noel Langlois

Comp. Carl Francis Lawton

Comp. Gordon Presbrey Luther

Comp. Burton Nelson MacPherson

~~Comp. Alfred Leo Mativier~~

Comp. Leonard Howell Torrey

Comp. Walter Henry Fiske

Comp. Theodore Loring Maybury

Order of Malta

The Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been closed a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named Companions were introduced and the ceremonies were conducted by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Applications

The application of William Charles Collins Jr was held for action at our next Conclave on account of the release of jurisdiction not having been received.

Closing

The business of the Priory having been concluded, the Commander closed without Form at 9:45 P. M. o'clock.

A true Record

Attest:

Joseph W. Work

Recorder

Members Present

Members	191
Visitors	7
Candidates	15
	213

Petitions

Comp. Clarence Henry Zarse
Residence 88 Washington st Brighton
Occupation Branch Manager
Place of business 298 North Harvard st Allston
Member of Excelsior Lodge of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and Wauwatosa R A
Chapter, Wauwatosa, Wisconsin.
Recommended by Sir Knights William C Bragg and Warren M Vinton

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T
Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple, Boston, Mass.
Wednesday, May 18, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 4:30 o'clock P M with a full line of officers.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees upon the following application for the Orderz having made favorable report upon ballot he was declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Clarence Henry Zarse

Dimits

Sir Knight Henry W Brant being square upon the books, upon his request a dimit was granted.

Letters

Letters from the following were received thanking the Commandery for flowers sent.

Mrs. Louis G Eaton

Mrs Eugene A Helten

Memorial

The following memorial was presented by the Committee appointed to present the same.

In Memoriam

EUGENE ALEXANDER HOLTON

Born in Nashua, New Hampshire, January 13, 1847

Died in Boston, Massachusetts, March 21, 1927

Before the completion of his school days in his native town, he enlisted as a drummer boy in the 43d Regiment in the Civil War.

Soon after the close of the war he entered the employ of a Mr. Lake, in the photograph business. Later he continued in that business on his own account.

He early became interested in the collection of stamps and developed a lucrative business, and was widely regarded as an authority on philatelic matters. His valuable collection and business in this line was sold out some twenty years ago.

Recently he also retired from the photograph business.

He was raised in Joseph Warren Lodge A F and A M October, 22nd, 1872, and was its Worshipful Master in 1884 and 1885.

He was exalted in St Andrews Royal Arch Chapter March 13, 1873, and was its E. High Priest in 1888 and 1889.

He received the Super Excellent Degree in Boston Council Royal and Select Masters in 1873, and was Thrice Ill Master in 1878-1879.

He was Knighted in Boston Commandery of Knight Templars June 18th 1873, and was its Eminent Commander in 1890 and 1891.

He early became a member of all the four Scottish Rite Bodies, and was Thrice Potent Master of Boston Lodge of Perfection in 1887-1888 and 1889.

He was Commander-in-chief of Massachusetts Consistory in 1895-1896 and 1897.

He was Crowned a Sovereign Grand Inspector General of the 33d and last degree September 17th, 1895.

He was Anointed in the Massachusetts Order of High Priesthood December 11, 1888.

He was elected to membership in the Commander's Union Nov. 21, 1890.

In the Grand Bodies of the State he was Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters in 1884, and the Grand

High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Massachusetts in 1913-1914 and 1915.

In the course of his more than fifty years of active Masonic life, he had also served these various bodies as well as several other fraternal Associations allied to the Masonic Order in a multitude of offices not enumerated here.

His sterling integrity and painstaking service naturally attracted to him many positions of trust, and as a Trustee or as Treasurer, he had devoted many years to various bodies, some of which he held at the time of his death.

A conspicuous leader and counselor, whose advise was always seriously regarded, a man who valued and appreciated his friendships beyond most men, a familiar figure in all his Masonic Bodies, rarely absent from a meeting, his interest and activity continued to the end.

Only a few days before he had attended the 125th Anniversary, Dinner and exercises of Boston Commandery keenly enjoying as was his custom the kindly greetings and fraternal associations of many of his old Companions there present.

They never quite leave us the friends who have passed
Through the shadow of death to the sunlight above
A thousand sweet memories are holding them fast
To the places they blest with their presence and love.

Fraternally submitted

Jesse E. Ames
Joseph T. Paul
Fredrick C. [unclear]

Committee

Deaths

The Commander announced the following deaths.

Sir Knight Frank W Richards
Knighted December 21, 1892
Died May 1, 1927

Sir Knight Warreb/S Allen
Knighted June 17, 1914
Died April 25, 1927

Sir Knight Louis G Eaton
Knighted November 25, 1894
Died May 4, 1927

Sir Knight Ernest L Davis
Knighted September 28, 1894
Died May 9, 1927

Grand Encampment of the United States

Upon motion the Commandery voted that it was the sentiment of Boston Commandery to invite the Conclave of the Grand Encampment to Boston in 1931.

Delinquents

It was voted that the Recorder forward a notice to all delinquents and the following circular was sent in accordance with said vote.

Sir Knight;

Dues

Dues are payable in advance in September of each year, and are used for the expenses of the Commandery during the year.

All Sir Knights who owe dues January following are by our By-Laws in arrears.

Voted

At a Stated Conclave May 18, 1927, it was voted to instruct the Recorder to notify all Sir Knights who are in arrears in payment of dues, and all delinquents names would be presented for action at our next Conclave to be held June 15, 1927.

Order of the Temple

The following Companions having received the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross and Order of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was communicated to them in Full Form.

Knight Fred Bailey

Knight Orrin James Crenmett

Knight George Perce Doncaster

Knight Rowland Slean Hill

Knight Robert L Hesmer

Knight George Elmer Hunt

Knight Hazen Goodwin Keith

Knight Clarence Noel Langlois

Knight Carl Francis Lawton

Knight Gordon Presbrey Luther

Knight Leonard Howell Torey

Knight Walter Henry Fisk

Knight Theodore Loring Maybury

Closing

As the ceremonies of the Order of the Temple having been completed the Em Commander invited the Sir Knights to sign the By-Laws at the Recorder's desk and become members of Boston Commandery.

There being no further business the Commandery was closed in Short Form at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record:

Attest

Joseph W. Work
Recorder

Petitions

The following petitions were received.

Comp. Seth Fenelon Arnold
Residence 92 Huntington Ave Boston
Occupation Physician
Place of business 92 Huntington Ave Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Robert G Wilson and Dennie P Small

Comp. Louis Arensen
Residence 22 James st Brookline
Occupation President & Treasurer United Aniline Co
Place of business 120 High st, Boston
Member of Montacute Lodge Worcester, and Eureka R A Chapter Worcester
Recommended by Em Sir Frank O Clark & Sir Knight William P Bullard

Comp. Malcolm Lyman Bridgman
Residence 448 Beacon st Boston
Occupation Manager Remington & Sherman Co
Place of business 40 Court st Boston
Member of Vernen Lodge, Belchertown & St Andrews R A Chapter, Boston
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Harold W Martin

Comp. Stewart Pratt Dunham
Residence 446 Westview Terr W Newton
Occupation Treasurer
Place of business 983 Com'lth Ave, Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge Boston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knight Melzer H Soule & Starr A Burdick

Comp. Oscar Frederick Hand
Residence 113 O Street So Boston
Occupation Police Officer
Place of business Station 12 So Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge Boston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Melzer H Soule & Joseph W Work

Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth Jr
Residence 34 Lombard st Newton Mass
Occupation Asst Treas. H L Hildreth Co
Place of business 549 Albany st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Herbert A Hildreth & Robert G Wilson

Comp. George Hill
Residence 515 Tremont st Boston
Occupation Building Supt
Place of business 515 Tremont st Boston
Member of Joseph Webb Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Kenneth Campbell & Fred C Lackintosh

Comp. Gilead William Kimberly

Residence 198 Somerset Ave Winthrop
Occupation Electrical Engineer
Place of business 6 Bosworth st Boston
Member of Massachusetts Lodge & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights William E Mason & Joseph W Work
If release is granted

Comp. Lerin E Lewis
Residence 11 Hepestill st Dorchester
Occupation Bookkeeper
Place of business 82 Devonshire st Boston
Member of St Johns Lodge Boston & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Albra W Kincaid & Joseph W Work

Comp. Eldredge Hinckley Lloyd
Residence Suite 8 1988 Com'lth Ave Boston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 31 St James Ave Boston
Member of Peter Wilkinson Lodge #333 Penn & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Dennie P Small & Leslue C Small

Comp. Albert Edward Sweetser
Residence 80 Blue Hill Ave Hyde Park
Occupation Mechanical Engineer
Place of business 38 Damen st Hyde Park
Member of Washington Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Harold W Martin & Henry R Sewell

Comp. Wilbur Harvey Tayler
Residence 73 Gardner st Allston
Occupation none
Place of business none
Member of Bethesda Lodge Brighton & St Pauls R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Hiram C Hughes & Robert G Wilson

For Membership

Sir Knight Edward Fuller
Residence 1180 Beacon st Brookline
Occupation Certified Public accountant
Place of business 80 Federal st Boston
Member of Concordia Lodge Maryland, Jerusalem R A Chapter, Maryland
& Monumental Commandery # 3 Baltimore, Md.
Recommended by Em Sir Frederick H Briggs & Sir Knight Frederick L
Briggs

Petition

Comp. Theodore Gibbs Holcombe
Residence 30 Pinckney st Boston
Occupation Salesman
Place of business 749 Boylston st Boston
Member of Mt Taber Lodge & St Andrews R A Chapter Boston
Recommended by Sir Knights Melzer H Soule & Harold W Martin

Asylum of Boston Commandery K T

Ionic Hall, Masonic Temple,

Wednesday, June 15, 1927

Stated Conclave

A Commandery of Knights Templars was opened in Form at 10 o'clock A M with the usual line of Officers excepting the Generalissimo and Recorder who were absent from the City.

Records

The records of the last Conclave were read and approved.

Applications

The Committees on the following applications for the Orders having made favorable reports upon ballot they were declared elected to receive the Orders in Boston Commandery.

Comp. Seth Fenelon Arnold

Comp. Louis Aronson

Comp. Malcolm Lyman Bridgman

Comp. Stewart Pratt Dunham

Comp. Oscar Frederick Hand

Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth Jr

Comp. George Hill

Comp. Theodore Gibbs Holcombe

Comp. Lorin Elliot Lewis

Comp. Eldredge Hinckley Lloyd

Comp. Albert Edward Sweetser

Comp. Wilbur Harvey Taylor

For Membership

Sir Knight Edward Fuller

Comp. Gilead William Kimberly

The report of the Committee was favorable, but the Winthrop Commandery refused to release jurisdiction.

Amendment to the By-Laws

The following Sir Knights were appointed as a Committee.

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs, chairman
Em Sir Charles W Howard
Em Sir Harry H Litchfield
Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton

Delinquents

The action on delinquents was referred to the Council with full powers.

Conclaves

Voted to suspend Conclaves for July and August 1927

St Johns Day

Voted to observe St Johns Day, June 24-25-26 and the Commandery to make good any deficit which should occur.

Committee on Nominations

The Commander appointed the following Sir Knights to serve as a Committee on Nominations of officers of the Commandery to serve the ensuing year.

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs, chairman
Em Sir John H Bowker
Em Sir Frederick C Graves

Sword Committee for the Em Commander

The following Sir Knights were appointed as a Committee to procure and present a Sword and Belt to Em Commander Frank O Clark at the next Conclave.

Em Sir Frederick H Briggs, chairman
Em Sir John H Bowker
Em Sir Frederick C Graves

Deaths

The Em Commander announced the death of the following Sir Knights since our last Conclave.

Sir Knight Frank M Elkins
Knighted May 22, 1905
Died May 31, 1927

Sir Knight William E L Dillaway
Knighted January 16, 1889
Died June 4, 1927

Rt Em Sir James Stone Blake
Knighted March 18, 1891
Died June 14, 1927

Order of the Red Cross

10:45 A M

The Commandery was closed on the Order of the Temple and a Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross opened and the following Companions were introduced and the Order was conferred by Em Sir Frank O Clark.

Comp. Seth Fenelon Arnold

Comp. Louis Aronson

Comp. Malcolm Lyman Bridgman

Comp. Stewart Pratt Dunham

Comp. Oscar Frederick Hand

Comp. Herbert Alfred Hildreth Jr

Comp. George Hill

Comp. Lorin Elliot Lewis

Comp. Eldredge Hinckley Lloyd

Comp. Alfred Leo Metivier

Comp. Albert Edward Sweetser

Comp. Wilbur Harvey Tayler

Priory of Knights of Malta 11:50 A M

The business of the Council of the Illustrious Order of the Red Cross having been finished, a Priory of the Order of Malta was opened and the above named Companions were introduced and the order was conferred by Sir Knight William P Bullard, Captain General.

Priory closed

The ceremonies of the Order of Malta having been concluded the Priory was closed at 12:20 o'clock P. M.

Lunch

The Commander announced that a lunch would be served.

Order of the Temple 2:25 P. M.

The Commandery resumed business on the Order of the Temple.

Telegram

A telegram was received from Sir Knight Charles L Hamilton, Generalissimo.

Visitor

The Commander introduced to the Commandery

Em Sir Arthur P Simmons, Past Commander of Beauseant Commandery of Brattleboro, Vermont, who was received in the usual cordial manner of Boston Commandery's Sir Knights.

Memorial to Rt Em Sir James S. Blake

The Commander appointed the following Em Sir Knights as a Committee to present at our next Conclave a Memorial to the memory of
Rt Em Sir James Stone Blake

Em Sir Jesse E Ames, chairman
Em Sir Frederick H Briggs
Em Sir Frederick G Graves

Dinner

The Commander announced that a dinner was in waiting and the Officers, Sir Knights and guests proceeded to the Banquet Hall.

Work

Order of the Temple

The Commandery resumed business.

The following Knights of Malta were introduced and the Order of the Temple was conferred upon them with full ceremony.

Knight Seth Fenelon Arnold
Knight Louis Aronson
Knight Malcolm Lyman Bridgman
Knight Stewart Pratt Dunham
Knight Oscar Frederick Hand
Knight Herbert Alfred Hildreth Jr
Knight George Hill
Knight Lorin Elliot Lewis
Knight Eldredge Hinckley Lloyd
Knight Burton Nelson MacPherson
Knight Alfred Leo Metivier
Knight Joseph Randolph Coolidge 3d
Knight Albert Edward Sweetser
Knight Wilbur Harvey Taylor

Closing

The Commandery was closed at 10 o'clock P. M.

A true Record

Attest:

Augustus Ridgeway

Acting Recorder

Attendance

Members	205		
Visitors	15		
Candidates	14	Total	234